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Births.

BRIDGE.—March 27, at her residence, No. 9 Brisbane-street, North Sydney, the wife of Edmund Bridge, of a son.

KEATO.—April 3, at her parents' residence, the wife of George Keato, of Nelson-street, Annandale, of a son, stillborn.

MARTIN.—March 23, at her residence, Lorne, Vernon-street, Marrickville, the wife of O. J. Martin, of a son.

RICHARDS.—March 26, at Pendowry, Mossman's Bay, the wife of T. D. Richards, of a son.

Marriages.

DAWSON—BARKER.—March 17, at the Bethel Church, by the Rev. J. Bennett Anderson, assisted by the Rev. Jos. Bowes, of Queensland, Harry, youngest son of Edward Dawson, of Dawes Point, to Gertrude, youngest daughter of the late William Orton Barker, late of Leicester, England.

FERGUSON—CARTER.—March 1, at Saint Mark's Church, Darling Point, by the Rev. Canon Kemmis, M.A., John William Ferguson, The Grove, Woollahra, eldest son of Peter Ferguson, Eton-place, Hillhead, Glasgow, to Mary Hill, eldest daughter of Robert T. Carter, Claines, Darling Point.

MARTIN—GOODHEW.—March 31, at St. John's Church, Balmain N., by the Rev. W. A. Charlton, Susan, youngest daughter of the late J. Martin, Donegal, Ireland, to Arthur, second son of the late Henry Goodhew, of Stepney, London E.

Deaths.

ABRAHAMS.—April 4, at her residence, 104 and 106 Oxford-street, Jane, the beloved wife of Hyam Abrahams, aged 48 years.

BENNETT.—April 4, 1892, at his residence, Ryde, Mrs. Bennett, the beloved wife of Harry Bennett.

BINNIE.—April 1, at her residence, Glenora, Edgecliffe-road, Helen Binnie.

BINNIE.—April 4, at her residence, Glenora, Edgecliffe-road, Agnes Binnie.

CRAGO.—April 3, at Yass, Elizabeth, relict of the late William Crago, formerly of Liskard, Cornwall, England, aged 82 years.

ROBERTSON.—April 4, at his residence, Rockville, Milson's Point, William Robertson, aged 65 years.

WICKHAM.—April 4, at her residence, George-street, Parramatta, Mrs. J. Wickham, mother of the late F. J. Wickham, Esq., of Firholme, Parramatta, aged 85 years.

WICKHAM.—April 4, at her residence, George-street, Parramatta, Jemima Wickham, in the 85th year of her age.

In Memoriam.

ATKINSON.—In fond and loving remembrance of Charles Hare Atkinson, who departed this life 5th April, 1884. Inserted by his affectionate stepdaughter, Charlotte Annie Stevenson.

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*OROTAVA	5552 "	W. Waddilove, R.N.R.	April 23
OPHIR	7000 "	J. F. Ruthven	May 9
ORUBA	5552 "	L. Hay, R.N.R.	May 23
AUSTRAL	5524 "	F. M. Tuke	June 6

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*Ballaarat	4748	R. Ashdown	April 16	April 23	April 27
*Par'amatta	4771	R. G. Murray	April 30	May 7	May 11
Britannia	6257	J. Orman	May 16	May 21	May 25
Massilia	4918	C. Fraser	May 30	June 4	June 8
Oriental	5045	E. Stewart	June 13	June 18	June 22
Victoria	6268	A. W. Adamson	June 27	July 2	July 6
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OCEANIEN	Fiaschi	May 25	May 29
POLYNESIEN	L. Boulard	June 27	July 1
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			1892.	1892.	1892.
Kaiser Wilhelm II.	7000	L. Störmer	Apr. 19	Apr. 23	Apr. 26
Hohenzollern		A. Von Collen	May 18	May 22	May 24
Habsburg	5094	W. Schmilder	June 16	June 19	June 21
Hohenstaufen		M. Eichel	July 13	July 16	July 18

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Peregrine (Howard Smith's), Saturday, April 16, noon.
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Oonah (Union Co.'s), To-morrow, 1 p.m.
FIJI—
Taviuni (Union Co.'s), April 12.
FIJI (from SYDNEY)—
Rockton (A.U.S.N. Co.'s), Wednesday, April 13, 5 p.m.
HOBART (direct)—
Elingamite (Huddart, Parker's), April 13, 3 p.m.
HOBART (via EDEN)—
Oonah (Union Co.'s), To-morrow, 1 p.m.
LAUNCESTON (transhipping to Coogee at Melbourne)—
Elingamite (Huddart, Parker's), This Day, 5 p.m.
LAUNCESTON (direct)—
Corinna (Union Co.'s), This Day, 11 a.m.
MELBOURNE—
Elingamite (Huddart, Parker's), This Day, 5 p.m.
Warrego (A.U.S.N. Co.'s), This Day, 5 p.m.
Konoowarra (Howard Smith's), This Day, 7 p.m.
Barcoo (A.U.S.N. Co.'s), Friday, April 8, 5 p.m.
Peregrine (Howard Smith's), Saturday, April 9, noon.
Adelaide (Adelaide Co.'s), Saturday, April 9, 1 p.m.
Barrabool (Howard Smith's), Tuesday, April 12, 5 p.m.
Innamincka (Adelaide Co.'s), Saturday, April 16, 1 p.m.
NEW ZEALAND—
Manapouri (Union Co.'s), via Auckland, Thursday, April 7, 5 p.m.
Wakatipu (Union Co.'s), via Wellington, Tuesday, April 12, 5 p.m.
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Manapouri (Union Co.'s), Thursday, April 7, 5 p.m.
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IRON SAFES, IRON SAFES.—Large variety on Sale. Edwards, Dunlop, and Co., Ltd., 123, 129 Clarence-st.

TANKS.—400 gallons, best London make. J. T. and J. Toohey, Standard Brewery, Elizabeth-st.

TANKS.—100, 200, and 400 gallon Ship's Iron Water Tanks, cheap. W. Robison, 65, 67 Sussex-st.

YOUNGER COOKING STOVES and Fletcher's (of Warrington) Gas Stoves always in stock. G. FLETCHER and SON, Oxford-street. Price lists, testimonials, and cards of instructions forwarded on application.

GAS COOKING.—See Raleigh's Paragon in full operation To-day, 11 till 1. 201 Elizabeth-st.

TRAINS for the SUMMER HILL LAND SALE, next SATURDAY AFTERNOON, leave Sydney 1.35, 2.5, 2.35, 3.5. Money will be made by buyers on Saturday, as the land will go cheap. Fifty lots a few minutes from the station, on the south side. Torrens title, and easy terms, or good discount for cash, and deeds at once. Plans on Wednesday.

HARDIE and GORMAN, Auctioneers.

MOOREFIELD PONY RACES, This Day, at Kogarah. First race 2.15. Six events; 150 entries.

Legal Notices.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—PROBATE JURISDICTION. In the Estate of HENRY CLARK, late of Steinbrook, near Tenterfield, in the colony of New South Wales, Farmer, deceased intestate. Notice is hereby given that the First Accounts in the above Estate have this day been filed in my office, Supreme Courthouse, King-street, Sydney, and all persons having any claim on the said estate, or being otherwise interested therein, are hereby required to come in before me, at my said office, on or before the twenty-sixth day of April instant, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, and inspect the same, and, if they shall think fit, object thereto; otherwise, if the said accounts be not objected to, the same will be examined by me and passed according to law. Dated this 4th day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two.

R. C. MONDAY, Deputy Registrar.

JAMES FRANCIS THOMAS, Proctor for the Administratrix, Tenterfield. By his agent, F. B. WILKINSON, 47 Castlereagh-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES. PROBATE JURISDICTION.

In the Estate of ANNIE RICHMOND, late of Plattsburg, in the colony of New South Wales, married woman, deceased, intestate.

APPLICATION will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Administration of the Estate of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to ROBERT RICHMOND, of Plattsburg, the husband of the said deceased. THOMAS CRONIN, Proctor, Newcastle.

By his Agent, FREDERICK W. WALKER, 36 Castlereagh-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES. PROBATE JURISDICTION.

In the Estate of JAMES LAMB, late of No. 26 Lauriston Gardens, Edinburgh, Scotland, Commission Agent, deceased.

APPLICATION will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Administration, with the Will annexed, of the Estate of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to WILLIAM LAMB, of Te Kapa, near Auckland, New Zealand, Mariner, the brother, and a devisee under the Will of the said deceased.

JONES and JONES, Proctors for the Applicant, Lincoln's Inn-chambers, 38 Elizabeth-st., Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES. PROBATE JURISDICTION.

In the Will of CATHERINE SPAIN, late of the Depôt, near Nowra, in the colony of New South Wales, Widow, deceased.

APPLICATION will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Probate of the last will of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to PETER WALSH, of Nowra, Storekeeper, the executor named in the said will.

THOMAS MARRIOTT, Proctor, Nowra.

By his Agents, LEVY, HAMSLEY, and PERKINS, 122 Pitt-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES. PROBATE JURISDICTION.

In the Will of PATRICK HUGHES, late of Barmedman, near Temora, in the colony of New South Wales, Hotelkeeper, deceased.

APPLICATION will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Probate of the will of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to MARY HUGHES, the widow of the said deceased, and sole executrix in the said will named.

Proctors, STREET and PATERSON, Address, 24 Bond-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES. PROBATE JURISDICTION.

In the Will of JOHN LOVETT, late of Double Bay, Sydney, in the colony of New South Wales, Gaoler, deceased.

APPLICATION will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Probate of the will of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to ANNIE LOVETT, of Double Bay aforesaid, the Widow and sole Executrix in the said will named.

Dated this fifth day of April, 1892.

W. W. BILLYARD, ANDREWS, and MOSELEY, Proctors for the Applicant, 12 Castlereagh-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES. PROBATE JURISDICTION.

In the Will of ROBERT EDMONDS, of the Forest Reefs, in the colony of New South Wales, deceased.

APPLICATION will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Probate of the last will and testament of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to WILLIAM MUTTON, Butcher, and WILLIAM BLUNT, Saddler, both of Millthorpe, near Orange, in the colony of New South Wales, the Executors named in the said will. Dated this second day of April, A.D. 1892.

GEORGE TOWSON, Proctor for the said Executors, Orange.

By his Agents—HOLDSWORTH and SON, 75 Pitt-street, Sydney.

RE GEORGE EDWARD BURROWS, deceased. Pursuant to the Trust Property Act of 1862.

NOTICE is hereby given that all Creditors and others having any claims against the estate of GEORGE EDWARD BURROWS, late of Burwood, near Sydney, in the colony of New South Wales, Gentleman, deceased, probate of whose will was granted by the Supreme Court of New South Wales in its probate jurisdiction on the eleventh day of March last to ELLEN OAKEY, of Angelo-street, Burwood, near Sydney aforesaid, wife of ALFRED OAKEY, of the same place, Commercial Traveller, and HARRY FREDERICK COATSWORTH, of Nicholson-street, Burwood, near Sydney aforesaid, Warehouseman, the Executrix and Executor named in the said will, are requested to send in particulars thereof to the said Ellen Oakey and Harry Frederick Coatsworth (care of their undersigned proctor) on or before the thirtieth day of April instant, after which date the said Executrix and Executor will distribute the assets of the said George Edward Burrows amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall have then notice, and the said Ellen Oakey and Harry Frederick Coatsworth will not be liable for the assets so distributed to any person of whose debt or claim they shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution. Dated this fourth day of April, A.D. 1892. ALFRED GEORGE GIBBES, Proctor for the said Executrix and Executor, Wentworth-court, Elizabeth-street, Sydney.

Public Notices.

NORTH SHORE HOSPITAL.

The Hon. Treasurer begs to acknowledge, with thanks, the following Subscriptions and Donations received during March:—

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O. Matton	0	10	0
D. Carment	1	0	0
Mrs. Adams	2	0	0
H. A. Lenehan	1	1	0
F. J. Cahill	1	1	0
J. C. Dibbs	1	1	0
Dr. On Lee	1	1	0
J. L. Kealey	1	1	0
On Yik and Lee	1	1	0
S. Hoffnung and Co.	2	2	0
Miss A. Burt	1	1	0
Brown and Tarson	1	1	0
Fairfax and Sons	1	1	0
Mrs. C. Hamilton	1	0	0
Mrs. M. A. Cope	1	0	0
Miss Hetherington	1	1	0
Mrs. Martens	1	0	0
N. Shelley	1	1	0
J. W. Challand	1	1	0
J. T. Walker	2	2	0
Balchin, Johnstone, and Co.	1	1	0
A. A. Day	1	0	0
His Excellency Lord Jersey	5	0	0
J. T. Turton	2	2	0
	£32	9	0

(Signed) FRED. SMITH, Hon. Treasurer.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

From this date the Business of the GOVERNMENT LABOUR BUREAU will be carried on at the EXHIBITION BUILDINGS, near Redfern Railway Station. Telephone 1339.

JOSEPH CREER, Superintendent.

2nd April, 1892.

RELIEF OF THE INDIGENT UNEMPLOYED.

The Mayor of Sydney will receive, addressed to the Town Hall, Contributions towards a Fund to be established for the purpose of procuring food for the indigent unemployed during the winter months.

His Worship will form a committee of responsible citizens who will adopt regulations for the proper dispensing of the funds contributed.

HENRY J. DANIELS, Town Clerk.

Town Hall, Sydney, April 4, 1892.

IN the ESTATE of THOS. A. ROONEY, Grocer, 544 Bourke-street, Surry Hills.—All CLAIMS against me to be rendered in full by WEDNESDAY, the 6th April. THOS. A. ROONEY.

WOOL AND PRODUCE TRADE.

NOTICE.—In consequence of the PICNIC to the employees of the SYDNEY WOOL BROKERS' and BUYERS, on WEDNESDAY, the 6th instant, the various OFFICES and WAREHOUSES of those participating will be CLOSED on that day.

TO THE POLICYHOLDERS OF THE AUSTRALIAN MUTUAL PROVIDENT SOCIETY.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

I am again a Candidate for election to a seat on the Directorate. As an Australian and an old member of the Society, I solicit the honour of your Votes and Influence.

That it may be clearly before you when recording your votes, permit me to add that I AM IN FAVOUR OF OPENING A BRANCH OFFICE IN LONDON.

Yours faithfully, F. E. JOSEPH (Montefiore, Joseph, and Co.)

March 30, 1892.

SPECIAL CAUTION. STEARINE CANDLES OF THE STEARINE CANDLE MANUFACTURING CO., "APOLLO," IN SCHIEDAM, HOLLAND.

The Directors of the Company give notice to the trade that, owing to the spurious imitations of their brand, the Candles for the Australian and New Zealand markets will in future simply bear on the usual labels the name of "SCHIEDAM."

They obtained—The MEDAL of MERIT at VIENNA, 1873. The GOLD MEDAL at PARIS, 1878. The GOLD MEDAL at AMSTERDAM, 1883. And the DIPLOME D'HONNEUR (HIGHEST AWARD) at ANTWERP, 1885.

LADIES. LADIES. LADIES. Complete Dress Stands, 12s 6d; Skirt Stands, 7s 6d; Folding Skirt Stands, 12s 6d and 15s each. EASTWAY BROTHERS, 411 George-street, only.

PAMBULA GOLDFIELD. NOTICE.

COBB and CO. are running a SPECIAL COACH to meet the boats to and from Sydney, to convey passengers to Pambula. All PARCELS and GOODS consigned through Cobb and Co. immediately delivered.

WAVERLEY.—Cowper-st. frontages, on ground, 3 p.m. next Sat. Lithos. Terms. R. and W., Ltd.

W. M. MACLARDY, LITHOGRAPHIC and GENERAL PRINTER, ENGRAVER, and MERCANTILE STATIONER, HAS JUST RECEIVED, ex MARIPOSA, s.s., from SAN FRANCISCO, a supply of "SHIPMAN'S STYLOGRAPHIC PENS." The best Stylographic Pen in the world. PRICE, ONLY 4s. Also, the Celebrated "STAR" FOUNTAIN PEN, 8s 6d. The INDEPENDENT STYLO PEN, 4s, 6s, and ditto Gold-mounted, 10s. 319 GEORGE-STREET, SYDNEY.

IN THE ASSIGNED ESTATE OF W. TAYLOR, Bathurst.

A Second and Final DIVIDEND, at the rate of 7 15-16d (sevenpence and fifteen-sixteenths of a penny) in the £, in the above estate is now payable at our chambers. Promissory notes must be surrendered.

JAMES ROBERTSON and CO., Public Accountants, Central-chambers, 173 Pitt-street.

A PRACTICAL CARPENTER and JOINER, Shop and Office Fitter, French Polishing Done. HENRY PROUDFOOT, 180 Pitt-street, near Foxall's, and 473 Crown-street, Surry Hills. Send for me.

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WOOL STORES: Circular Quay, Pyrmont, and Darling Harbour.

OFFICES: Circular Quay.

GAS COOKING.—See Raleigh's Paragon in full operation To-day, 11 till 1. 201 Elizabeth-st.

Tenders.

BLUE METAL, all gauges, SCREENINGS, GRAVEL and RIVER SAND, at lowest prices. EMU GRAVEL and ROAD METAL COMPANY, Limited, Norwich-chambers, Hunter-street.

BUILDERS AND CONTRACTORS. TENDERS given for Rolled Iron, Steel (Dorman, Long, and Co.), combined, and Box Girders. R. L. SCRUTTON and CO., 11 Pitt-street.

BRICKMAKERS.—Wanted, TENDERS 45,000 B'ks, deliv. H'b'sh. J. Harris, Abbotsford-rd., Homebb.

EXCAVATION and Concrete; also 40 loads Sand. Job, Frederick-st., Ashfield, near John-st.

FENCERS.—Wanted Tenders Fencing, Neutral Bay, labour only. Thomson Bros., Moore-st., Sydney.

IN THE BANKRUPT ESTATE of ROBERT R. M'GREGOR, of BURROWA, STOREKEEPER.

TENDERS will be received by me, at my office, 47 Elizabeth-street, up to noon on THURSDAY, the 7th April, for the following Lots, either separately or together:—

LOT 1. Stock of General Store at Burrowa, consisting of

	£	s	d
Drapery, Ribbon, Slops, Men's Hats, and Mercery	561	11	5
Boots	67	10	2
Grocery	54	17	10
Stationery, Glass and Earthenware, &c.	40	1	3
Ironmongery	125	11	7
Saddlery and Plant	31	11	3
Buggy and Horses	75	0	0
	£906	3	6

LOT 2. BOOK DEBTS.

	£	s	d
Good	552	7	1
Doubtful	58	6	4
Bad	25	13	3
	£636	6	8
	£1602	12	2

Stock-sheets can be seen at my office, or on the premises at Burrowa, and all information obtained from the person in charge.

The usual 10 per cent. deposit required.

The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

EDWARD M. STEPHEN, Official Assignee.

IN THE ASSIGNED ESTATE OF OLIVE and O'CONNOR, of Granville, General Storekeepers, &c.

TENDERS are hereby invited till THURSDAY, the 7th instant, for the purchase of the undermentioned goods, viz.:—

	£	s	d
Manchester	75	3	5
Clothing	72	4	3
Hats, Hosiery	36	8	10
Fancy Goods and Haberdashery	151	11	8
Dress Goods	48	3	7
Working Plant	10	18	9
	£464	10	6
Grocery	106	19	2
Crockery and Glassware	38	4	6
Ironmongery, tinware, &c.	132	7	4
	£749	1	7

The stock, clean and in good order, is now open for the inspection of intending buyers, where Stock-sheets can be seen, tender forms procured, and any information supplied.

No tender will be entertained unless upon our printed form, and accompanied with marked cheque equal to 10 per cent. of the amount tendered.

J. T. DAVENPORT and CO., Public Accountants.

P.O.-chambers, Pitt-street, April 1, 1892.

IN THE BANKRUPT ESTATE of JOHN BYRON BEAUREGARD, trading as GARDINER and COOL, of 89 Market-street, Sydney, Stamp Manufacturers.

TENDERS are hereby invited and will be received up to noon on THURSDAY, the 7th April next, for the PURCHASE of the

	£	s	d
Stock-in-trade herein now on the above premises, consisting of numbering machines, inking and embossing presses, rubber type, and every variety of metal and rubber stamps, &c.	850	11	9
Shop fittings and plant, &c.	297	0	0
	£1147	11	9

Stock sheets have been carefully prepared and may be seen at the office of the undersigned.

The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

The usual 10 per cent. deposit must accompany each tender.

TERMS, CASH.

LANCELOT T. LLOYD, Official Assignee.

127 Phillip-street, Sydney, March 25, 1892.

IN the ESTATE of S. MAXWELL, of Brisbane, Painter and Glazier.

IN LIQUIDATION.

TO CONTRACTORS, the TRADE, and OTHERS.

TENDERS will be received by the undersigned, at his office, Eagle-street, Brisbane, until 12 o'clock noon on SATURDAY, 9th April, 1892, for the Stock and Fixtures in the above Estate, as a WHOLE, or SEPARATE TENDERS may be sent in for the Varnishes, Dry Colours, Colours, Glass, Sheet Glass, Oils and Turps, Diamonds, Plate Glass, Fancy Glass, Paperhangings, Cutlery, Tube Colours, Brushware, &c.

Stock Sheets may be seen at my office, Eagle-street, Brisbane, and at Gordon and Gotch's, George-street, Sydney.

The highest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

C. J. W. SOUTH, Trustee in the Estate of S. Maxwell.

Brisbane, March 28, 1892.

KIAMA BLUE METAL, machine-broken, all gauges, and Dry Screenings; also hand-broken. SALMOND and DENNE (late George Hill), 53 Cowper Wharf.

MANLY WATER SUPPLY. EXTRA PIPES.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of 80 tons (more or less) of cast iron Spigot and Socket Water Pipes and Special Castings. Diameter of pipes, 8in. and 4in.

Specification on view at the office of the undersigned on and after MONDAY, 28th instant. Tenders to be accompanied by a deposit of 1 per centum on the lump sum, and lodged with the Council Clerk, Manly, by 4 p.m. on FRIDAY, 8th April. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

HARPER and HARPER, Consulting Engineers.

Exchange Corner, 63 Pitt-street, Sydney, March 25, 1892.

MANLY WATER SUPPLY. EXTRA PIPE LAYING.

TENDERS are hereby invited for 200 chains (more or less) of extra Pipe Laying in the town of Manly. Diameter of pipes, 8in. and 4in. Plans and specifications on view at the offices of the undersigned, and the Council-chambers, Manly, on and after Tuesday, 29th instant.

A deposit of £5 to accompany each tender, and be lodged with the Council Clerk, Manly, by 4 p.m. on FRIDAY, 8th April. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

HARPER and HARPER, Consulting Engineers.

Exchange Corner, 63 Pitt-street, Sydney, March 25, 1892.

R. PRICE, Asphalter, Matthew-st., D'g Harbour, Tar-paving also, further red. rates. F. M'Intosh, man.

SEWERAGE.—TENDERS are invited for Connecting with sewer Nos. 82 and 84 Hunter-street. Plans may be inspected at the office of the undersigned. R. CATLETT, 82 King-street.

TO IRONFOUNDERS.

TENDERS are required for CAST-IRON STAIRCASE and about FOUR HUNDRED (400) CAST-IRON BALUSTERS, for ST. JOSEPH'S COLLEGE, HUNTER'S HILL.

Plans and specification may be seen at the offices of the undersigned, to whom tenders are to be delivered on or before MONDAY, the 11th April, at 12 o'clock.

SHEERIN and HENNESSY, Architects, City-chambers, 243 Pitt-street.

NORTH RYDE.—Allen Grove Estate, next Sat., on the ground. Lithos. Terms. R. and W., Ltd. 2430

PRINTERS.—Wanted, Tenders for Printing an 8vo. Book. Particulars, 116 The Strand, Sydney.

TENDERS will be received until the 9th April for the Purchase of the Lease, License, and Goodwill of the Imperial Hotel, Wynyard-square, carried on by the late F. Bauer; also, Furniture, Stock-in-Trade, Fixtures, &c., &c. The whole to be sold as a going concern.

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Usual 10 per cent. conditions.

For full particulars apply to the undersigned.

Mrs. BAUER, care of PEATE and HARCOURT, 255 George-street, Sydney.

TO SHIPOWNERS AND OTHERS.

TENDERS will be received by the undersigned until 30th APRIL, 1892, for the Carriage of Coal and General Cargo from Newcastle and Sydney to Cudgen, Tweed River, and for Carriage of Sugar from Cudgen, Tweed River, to Sydney, for the coming sugar season.

Particulars on application to ROBB and CO., Cudgen Scrub.

TENDERS are invited for the purchase of Lease, Goodwill, Furniture of that well-established business known as Central Coffee Palace, Bolton-street, Newcastle. Particulars at 257 Cleveland-street, Redfern; or Mrs. B. WILLIAMS, Bolton-street, Newcastle, to whom tenders must be addressed before 30th instant.

TENDERERS.—White Lead, 27s 6d, and Oils, 2s 9d gallon; Varnish, 7s 9d gallon; 8/0 Brushes, 5s each; Mixed Paints, 4½d lb.; Wall Papers, 2½d roll; glass cut to sizes, 3½d foot. C. FRANCKELS, 369 George-st.

TENDERS required Erection and Completion COTTAGE, Waverley; the lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. Plans and specifications at F. S. MORGAN'S, Architect, Stephen-court, 81 Elizabeth-street.

TENDERS for Tar-metalling Lane at side and back of Bond's Stores, Clarence-street, near Market-street. Apply HODGSON, Builder, 10 Brumby-street, Strawberry Hills.

TENDERS wanted to Erect Brick Room and Doing-up Shop. Full particulars on application to D. VICTOR, 236 George-street North.

TO SEWERAGE CONTRACTORS and ASPHALTERS.—1½in. BLUE METAL and Screenings by the load, as required. SALMOND and DENNE, 53 Cowper Wharf.

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TENDERS wanted Painting, Papering 4-room. House. Lahiff's Cowper Wharf Hotel, W'mooloo Bay.

TENDERS are invited for 3-roomed W.B. Cottage. Apply L. J. Mc., 9 Moore-st., Balmain.

TENDERS for 38,000 BRICKS. J. Sheppard, Geirstein-st., Flood's Estate, Waverley.

TENDERS wanted for Plumbing and Repairs. Apply 6 David-st., Forest Lodge.

TENDERS wanted for Fencing, labour only. Apply Knox-st., near Town Hall, Ashfield.

TENDERS for Carting 500p. stone from Cooper's Wharf to Padd. D. Sheehy, 57 Goodhope-st., Padd.

TENDERS wanted for Drainage, 3 Shops, Elizabeth-st., Haymarket. Plans on job.

TENDERS for Iron Palasading and Frieze to Cottage. H. Holland, Wells-st., Newtown, nr. Alice-st.

TENDERS for Woodwork 2 Cottage Villas. (labour). Webster, builder, Warwick-st., W. Kingston.

TENDERS wanted Rubble work, labour only. Before 9 o'clock, Mr. Uebel, Unwin Bridge-rd., Tempe.

TENDERS invited Erection Dwelling-house Glebe Point. Plans, &c., Highgate, P'matta-rd., Forest L'ge.

TENDERS for Fencing, &c., labour only. Corner Wigram-rd. and Glebe Point.

TO DRAINERS.—Tenders for Connecting about 200ft. with Sewer. Leswell and Oxford sts., W'lahra.

WANTED, Tenders for Refreshment Bar. Elite Skating Rink, Elizabeth-st., Strawberry Hills.

WANTED, TENDERS for Clearing 6 Acres Land at Sutherland. W. Davis, Crystal Hotel, George-st.

WANTED, Price for Lettering and doing up Window. Champion Reg. Office, Sum. Hill station.

WAVERLEY.—Cowper-st. frontages, on ground, 3 p.m. next Sat. Lithos. Terms. R. and W., Ltd.

MOOREFIELD PONY RACES, This Day, at Kogarah. First race 2.15. Six events; 150 entries.

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Lectures.

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Business Announcements.

ROBERT D. PETRIE, Public Accountant, Auditor, Trade Assig., Fitz-Evan-ch., 28 Castl'gh-st.

MR. JOHN KENT, Public Accountant, has admitted as a Partner in his business Mr. A. J. BRIERLEY, F.I.A.V., and has removed from P. O.-chambers to 102, 104, and 106 THE STRAND, where the business will be conducted under the style of KENT and BRIERLEY.

BEFORE there was a railway station at Summer Hill the locality consisted of the Summer Hill Estate, on the south side, and the Underwood Estate on the north side of the line. NEXT SATURDAY we sell 50 BUILDING PLOTS, portion of the original Summer Hill Estate, fronting Smith-street, Carrington-street, Spencer-street, Edward-street - all a few minutes only from the station. These Lands will be sold CHEAP, and on special terms, namely, Cash, and get your Torrens title deeds at once; or 10 per cent. deposit, balance over 5 years at 6 per cent. Plans ready on Wednesday. HARDIE and GORMAN, Auctioneers.

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D—G.—Was there nearly hour, then passed your place; too risky; put in paper? Willie.

ERNEST G.,—Return home at once. All will be well.

IF Mrs. RICE-JAY, whose brother, Mr. T. H. Hill, arrived here from England in December last, will send her address to Anxious Friend, Herald Office, she will hear important news.

JOHN LEESON, late of Brisbane,—Please call on Mr. DAVID WALKER, Gen. Secretary Y.M.C.A., Pitt-street, Sydney. Important.

LOU,—Received letter 2nd instant. Call at shop 7th, Tuesday. Important. B. H.

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Lost and Found.

A BIG Bay HORSE LOST, bare mark shoulder, few white hairs back. Brooks, Rushcutter Bay.

FIVE POUNDS REWARD.—Strayed from F. M'Carty's stables, 115 Derwent-street, Glebe, Bay PONY, white snip, white on off hind foot, no brand, about 13.3 hands high.

LOST, Gold PINCE-NEZ, steel spring. 5s reward. W. Boekemann, 16 Bond-st.

LOST, long-haired black-and-tan Collie DOG. Apply Greenoakes Cottage, Darling Point. Reward.

LOST, Roan MARE, clean skinned, on Sunday; reward. M. Costello, Queen-st., Alexandria.

LOST, Saturday, Gold Cable BANGLE. Reward on returning same to 59 Market-st.

LOST, Black-and-White Collie Dog, answers Nelson; reward. 86 Marlborough-st., Surry Hills.

LOST, Half-bred Brown RETRIEVER, answering name of Fred. Anyone detaining same will be prosecuted. Apply 158 Palmer-street.

LOST, in city, CHEQUE (crossed), on —— Bank, Moruya, by —— Sutherland, in favour of Augustus Crowe or order; reward. A. J. CROWE, c.o. Messrs. Slattery and Heydon, solicitors.

MAGPIE LOST. Reward on return to Mrs. Oliver, Stirling, Everton-rd., Strathfield.

REWARD.—Lost, a Gold BRACELET, with padlock. Madame Laura, 26 Glenmore-rd.

REWARD, 10s.—Lost, a White COCKATOO. Apply Miss Faris, Farisville, Birrell-st., Waverley.

REWARD, £3.—Lost, Gold Brooch, last Tuesday, consisting 3 sovereigns. Evans, 129 Oxford-st.

REWARD, £1.—Lost, draught Horse, dark bay, no brand, white star in forehead, near hind foot swollen. 570 Harris-street, Ultimo.

REWARD, 10s.—Lost, on the 31st March, Collie PUP, answers to the name of Rab. R. C. MONDAY, Liverpool-road, Summer Hill.

REWARD.—Left on Burwood station, PARCEL, containing child's clothing. Finder please write to Mrs. DAVIS, Federal Coffee Palace, 27 Oxford-street.

FOUND, a Waterproof Overcoat, Yarranabe-rd., Darling Pt. Lyton Cottage, rear 98 Cameron-st., Wlhra.

FOUND, Black MARE, no brand, saddle, halter; not claimed 3 days sold pay exs. 225 Parramatta-rd.

Meetings.

WAVERLEY v. RANDWICK.—A MEETING of Cricketers will be held at the Grand Hotel, Waverley, on THURSDAY EVENING Next, the 7th instant, at 8 o'clock, to make arrangements prior to the forthcoming Borough Contest with Randwick; also, any other business which may be deemed expedient. F. C. SMYTH, Hon. Sec.

SOUTHERN RUGBY FOOTBALL UNION.—The Annual General Meeting will be held at Aarons's Exchange Hotel on TUESDAY, 19th April, at 8 p.m. Business: Adoption of report, consideration of proposed amendments in bylaws, and election of office-bearers, &c. G. W. GRAHAM, Hon. Secretary.

UNION CLUB.—Members are reminded that a Ballot MEETING, of which due notice has been given, will be held THIS DAY, the 5th April, at 1 o'clock p.m. By order. C. R. BURNSIDE, Secretary.

SYDNEY UNIVERSITY UNION.

The Annual MEETING will be held at the University on FRIDAY, April 8th, at 8 p.m. Annual reports. Address by the President, Professor MacCallum. Election of Officers.

J. B. PEDEN, Hon. Secretary.

SYDNEY JEWISH SABBATH SCHOOL. The Annual MEETING, Examination, and Distribution of Prizes, will (D.V.) take place THIS (Tuesday) EVENING, at 7.30 o'clock, at the Protestant Hall, Castlereagh-street. LOUIS PULVER, Hon. Secretary.

ST. JOSEPH'S INVESTMENT AND BUILDING SOCIETY.

Offices: 47 Elizabeth-street North.

SUBSCRIPTION MEETING.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS: Chairman, P. R. Larkin, Esq.
Michael Tierney, Esq. | William Hughes, Esq.
E. F. Flanagan, Esq. | Richard M'Auley, Esq., J.P.
Ald. P. F. Hart, J.P.

Borrowers are reminded that the monthly subscription falls due 6th April, 1892, between the hours of 10 and 4, and 7 and 8.30 in the evening.

A. J. STEPHENS, Acting Manager.

THE NATIONAL BANK OF AUSTRALASIA.

The GENERAL ANNUAL MEETING of the Shareholders of the National Bank of Australasia will be held at the Head Office of the Company, Collins-street, Melbourne, on TUESDAY, the 3rd of May next, at 12 o'clock noon, for the following purposes:—

To receive the report of the Directors on the affairs of the bank for the past half-year.

To elect two Directors in lieu of Arthur Septimus King, Esq., and John Grice, Esq., who retire by rotation, but are eligible for re-election, and have intimated their intention of offering themselves accordingly.

To appoint two Auditors for the ensuing year, and to transact such other business as may be necessary or the occasion may require.

By order of the Board of Directors, F. G. SMITH, Chief Manager.

Head Office, Melbourne, March 31, 1892.

N.B.—In terms of the Deed of Settlement every candidate for the office of Director must give notice thereof in writing at the head banking-house of the company 30 days at least before the day of election.

The transfer books of the company will be closed from MONDAY, the 18th April, to TUESDAY, the 3rd May inclusive.

WEBB'S SILVER-MINING COMPANY, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary General MEETING of the Company will be held at 3 p.m. on TUESDAY, the 5th day of April, at the Company's Office, 131 Pitt-street, Sydney, for the purpose of considering the advisability of confirming or otherwise the following resolution then to be submitted, and which was passed at the Extraordinary General Meeting held on 22nd instant, viz.:—

"Resolved that the capital of the company be increased by the creation and issue of 12,000 additional shares of £1 each, to be issued as paid up to 10s each, and liable to calls to the amount of 10s per share, and to be offered in the first instance to the present shareholders in the proportion of one share for every three existing shares now held by them, and on the following terms, viz., 1s per share on application, 6d per share on allotment, the balance in calls as may be required not to exceed 6d per share per month; such shares to be preferential, and be entitled to a refund of the amounts paid on same, together with interest at 8 per cent. per annum, before any dividend shall be paid on previously existing shares; provided that no allotment of shares shall be made unless 12,000 at least be taken up."

By order of the Board. LEONARD DODDS, Manager.

Sydney, March 23, 1892.

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Government Railways.

MOOREFIELD RACES, APRIL 5, 1892.

SPECIAL PASSENGER TRAINS will leave Sydney for Kogarah at 12.40, 1.5, and 1.35 p.m., returning after the last race; and a SPECIAL HORSE-BOX TRAIN will leave Sydney at 11.50 a.m. on the above date.
Return Fares: First-class, 1s; Second-class, 9d.
By order of the Commissioners.
H. M'LACHLAN, Secretary.
Sydney, April 4, 1892.

Government Notices.

PARLIAMENTARY STANDING COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC WORKS.

PROPOSED RAILWAY from GLEN INNES to INVERELL.

The PARLIAMENTARY STANDING COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC WORKS, appointed under the Public Works Act of 1888, 51 Victoria, No. 37; the Public Works Act Amendment Act of 1889, 52 Victoria, No. 26; and the Public Works (Committees' Remuneration) Act of 1889, 53 Victoria, No. 11, having now under consideration the expediency of constructing a LINE OF RAILWAY from Glen Innes to Inverell, any person competent to give evidence relevant and important to that subject is invited to forward his name to the Secretary, at the office of the Committee, Boardroom, Department of Public Works.
Sydney, April 4, 1892. CHARLES LYNE, Secretary.

Department of Public Works, Harbours and Rivers Branch, Sydney, April 1, 1892.
TENDERS will be received by the undersigned up to 12 o'clock on WEDNESDAY next, the 6th instant, for the Hire for three months to this branch of a small Steam Launch, about 30ft. in length and of 3ft. draft, for removing punts at Homebush or Leichhardt. Coal, water, and stores will be found by the branch, the tugowner only providing the launch and one man to steer and drive.
C. W. DARLEY, Engineer-in-Chief for Harbours and Rivers.

ROADS.
Department of Lands, Sydney, April 4, 1892.
The attention of ALL PERSONS INTERESTED is invited to the Government Gazette of the 1st instant, in which appear notifications with respect to PRELIMINARY NOTIFICATION OF STREETS, Municipality of North Sydney.
WM. HOUSTON, Under-Secretary.
Note.—Copies of the Government Gazette can be inspected at the Crown Land Office and the Police Office of the district.

Amusements.

GARRICK THEATRE.
Treasurer ... Mr. A. E. Pooley.
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GRAND ITALIAN OPERA COMPANY.
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TO-MORROW, WEDNESDAY, APRIL 6,
Flotow's much-admired and celebrated Opera, in 5 Acts, MARTHA, or, Richmond Fair in the Days of Queen Anne, with the following choice caste:—
Lady Harriett ... Signora Tancioni Cuttica
Nancy ... Signorina Giovanna Cavalleri
Kitty Bell ... Signorina Guilietta Tressani
Lizzie Well ... Miss Grace Freeman
Molly Nell ... Miss Cissie Healy
Lionel ... Signor Ercole Cuttica
Plunket ... Signor Gianini Sisco
Sir Tristan ... Signor Coriolano Iorio
The Mayor of Richmond ... Mr. James Hammill.
Cavaliers, Ladies, Peasants, Dancers, Clowns, &c., &c.
THURSDAY, APRIL 7,
Verdi's Grand Tragic Opera, in 4 Acts,
RIGOLETTO RIGOLETTO RIGOLETTO.
Gilda ... Signora Tancioni Cuttica
Magdalena ... Signorina Giovanna Cavalleri
Giovanna ... Signorina Guilietta Tressani
Countess Ceprano ... Miss Cissy Healy
A Page ... Miss Grace Freeman
The Duke of Mantua ... Signor Ercole Cuttica
Rigoletto ... Signor Nunzio Meloni
Sparafucile ... Signor Baldo Travaglini
Count Monterone ... Mr. James Hammill
Marullo ... Mr. Harry Cross
Borsa ... Mr. George Johnson
Count Ceprano ... Mr. G. Haswell
Usher ... Mr. A Farley.
SATURDAY, APRIL 9, LUCIA DI LAMMERMOOR.
Prices: Dress Circle and Reserved Stalls, 5s; Stalls, 3s; Family Circle, 1s. Box Plan at Nicholson and Co.'s. Day Tickets at Garrick Hotel, where early door tickets for Stalls and Family Circle can be obtained. Early doors at 7.15, 1s extra. Doors open at 7.30. Performance commences at 8 p.m.

GARRICK THEATRE.—Wanted, CHORUS and GENTLEMEN for Italian Opera. Apply this day, 11 o'clock, stage door.

GARRICK THEATRE.—SPECIAL. L. F. Scholer, Proprietor. A. E. Pooley, Treasurer.
FRIDAY EVENING NEXT, APRIL 8. TUESDAY EVENING, APRIL 12.
ANNOUNCEMENT EXTRAORDINARY.
In consequence of their Great Success last week, the Management have arranged with the American Members of
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to appear on the above dates in the following BRILLIANT and ATTRACTIVE PROGRAMME:—
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ORCHESTRA directed by Mr. RICE.
Scenes from the Charming Burlesque,
EVANGELINE EVANGELINE EVANGELINE EVANGELINE.
Evangeline ... Miss Eileen Karl
Gabriel ... Miss Virginia Earl
Le Blanc ... Mr. Charles Seagrave
CATHERINE ... Mr. GEO. K. FORTESCUE
introducing his great song, "I'm in Love with the Man in the Moon;" "We are off to Seek for Eva," "I Like It," and the "Kissing Duet."
Mexican Serenade (as sung in the "Corsair") Miss VIRGINIA EARL and Miss EILEEN KARL.
Burlesque on the Child Mania, LITTLE LORD FONTLEROY. Mr. GEORGE K. FORTESCUE.
Skirt Dance ... Miss Viola Fortescue
Nursery Rhymes (from the "Corsair") Mr. Chas. Seagrave.
The latest London Comic Song and popular craze, "TA, RA, RA, BOOM TER RA," "TA, RA, RA, BOOM TER RA," by Miss VIRGINIA EARL.
The performance to conclude with the splendid Fairy Burlesque, in five Scenes,
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with its Remarkable Novelties and Great Cast, including Mr. GEO. K. FORTESCUE as the GUSHING CLORINDA.
Prices: 5s, 4s, 3s, and One Shilling.
Seats at Nicholson's. Overture at 8. Carriages at 10.40.

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CENTENNIAL HALL.
WEDNESDAY, WEDNESDAY, at 4 p.m.
ADMISSION: 6d and 1s.
NEXT RECITAL, SATURDAY NIGHT.

AUSTRALIAN WAXWORKS, opposite the Cathedral.
THE WINDSOR TRAGEDY. Representation of the scene of the crime, showing the Fireplace, the BODY of the victim, and of WILLIAMS covering up the remains of the woman.
Open 9 a.m. till 10 p.m. Admission, 1s; children half-price.

MOOREFIELD PONY RACES.
MOOREFIELD COURSE, Kogarah.
THIS DAY, TUESDAY, 5th APRIL.
Six Events. Six Events. Six Events.
150 Entries. 150 Entries. 150 Entries.
FIRST RACE starts at 2.15 p.m.
TRAINS TO KOGARAH: Horse-boxes, 11.50 a.m. Ordinary, 12.10, 1.10, 2.10 p.m.
SPECIALS, 12.40, 1.5, 1.35 p.m.
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ENTRIES CLOSE, FRIDAY, April 8.
Programme:—14.1, of £25, 5 furlongs; Unique Selling Race, 14.2, of £20, w.f.a., and w.f.l., 4 furlongs, usual conditions; 13.2, of £20, 4 furlongs; 14.0, of £25, 5 furlongs; 14.2, of £30, 7 furlongs.
To-day's MEETING POSTPONED until FRIDAY NEXT, 8th instant.
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SUFFIELD C.C. DISENGAGED Saturday, without ground. T. W. Young, 2 Bond-st.-chambers.
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Song—"Sitting in the Twilight" ... Mr. W. King
Comic—"The Breach of Promise" ... Mr. Harry Hastings
Song—"Beauty Sleeps" ... Miss Beatrice James
Comic—"Laugh When E'er You Can" ... Mr. T. Sadler
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FOR SALE, privately, MISS GLADSTONE, the well-known racing PONY. Apply H. WALKER, Club House Hotel, Hunter and Castlereagh streets.
SULKIES, superior finish (varnished), O'BRIEN'S build, silver mountings, trimmed with best leathers, Sarven patent wheels, with lamps; price £15. For SALE at GARLING'S BAZAAR, Pitt-street (late Fennelly's).
FOR SALE, a beautiful black GELDING, 4 years old, broken to single and double harness, stand tram; suit doctor. ROWAN'S Stables, 86 Regent-street, Redfern.
FOR SALE, a stylish GIG, C springs, almost new, £17. 195 Hay-st., Haymarket.
BUGGY or Saddle PONY for SALE, good. Frank Johnstone, 20 Erskine-st.
FOR SALE, 2 young HORSES, Vans, and Harness, trial given. 15 Engine-st., Haymarket.
BAY PONY and Harness for SALE, quiet, stand tram. Burlington House, Georgina-st., Newtown.
FOR SALE, double-seated hooded Cutunder BUGGY, cheap. Railton's Stores, Bay-st., Glebe.
WANTED, suitable HORSE for a cab, 16 hands. 204 Victoria-st., Darlinghurst.
WANTED, Double-seated Hooded BUGGY. Address P. F. T., Herald Office.
WANTED, to Purchase Horse, Cart, and Harness; must be cheap and good. 521, Riley-st., S.H.
WANTED, for phaeton, sound, strong, town HORSE (no mare), dark-coloured, about 6 to 7 years, not exceeding 14½ to 15 hands; must be stanch, quiet, stand tram; fair price for suitable horse. Trial expected. Romo, Brighton-street, Petersham.

Produce, Provisions, &c.

DYSPEPTICS, READ THIS.—MALT BREAD has proved beyond a doubt to be the BEST FOOD FOR PERSONS SUFFERING FROM INDIGESTION. To be had DAILY from J. G. PURVES, Machine Bakery, St. John's-road, Glebe, and at Manly.
VINEGAR, genuine malt, in casks and bottles. Monk's Vinegar Works, Henderson-road, Alexandria. Office, 266 Sussex-street. Established 30 years.
PASSOVER.—Groceries, &c., specially prepared for the holidays. L. Israel, Goulburn and Sussex sts.

Auction Sales.

HORSES, VEHICLES, and HARNESS.
GEORGE KISS will sell by auction at the Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock, All lots not specially advertised. And at 12 o'clock, All lots specially advertised. Regular Sales at the Bazaar daily, and at Camperdown or elsewhere any afternoon. LIVERY.—In this department charges moderate and best of forage.

NEAT VICTORIA TURNOUT.
GEORGE KISS has received instructions to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, Pitt and Castlereagh streets, THIS DAY, Tuesday, at 12 o'clock, A handsome brown gelding, broken to single and double harness, tram trial, a good family horse, formerly the property of Colonel MacDonald. Light victoria, built by Angus. Set of brass-mounted victoria harness.

4 JAMBEROO HORSES.
GEORGE KISS has received instructions from Mr. J. M'Carthy, Jamberoo, to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, Pitt and Castlereagh streets, THIS DAY, Tuesday, at 12 o'clock, A stylish upstanding chestnut gelding, 5 years, good harness horse, suit a victoria. 3 well-bred harness horses, trials given, fit for cab or buggy work.

VILLAGE CART TURNOUT.
GEORGE KISS has received instructions to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, Pitt and Castlereagh street, THIS DAY, Tuesday, at 12 o'clock, A bay gelding, tram trial in harness, village cart, and harness.

SANS SOUCI.—Half-acre Villa SITES, on the ground, SATURDAY NEXT. Absolutely the pick of the neighbourhood; Torrens title. Plans now ready, with full particulars. W. PRITCHARD and SON, 100 King-st.

MATCH CARRIAGE HORSE.
GEORGE KISS has received instructions to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, Pitt and Castlereagh streets, THIS DAY, Tuesday, at 12 o'clock, A dark chestnut gelding, about 16 hands, thoroughly broken to harness. Would make a grand match horse.

A.J.C. AUTUMN MEETING.
GEORGE KISS has received instructions from the Secretary of A. J. Club to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, Pitt and Castlereagh streets, on MONDAY, the 11th April, at 12 o'clock, The right to the entrance gate and St. Leger Reserve for above meeting to be held on 16th, 18th, 21st, and 23rd April.
As there will be no Easter Encampment a monster attendance is certain.
. Intending purchasers are invited to visit the course and inspect the alterations made to facilitate the collecting of moneys at the different entrances.

INGLIS and SON'S HORSE BAZAAR.
THIS DAY, at half-past 10 a.m. sharp.
WILLIAM INGLIS and SON will sell by auction, at their Bazaar, THIS DAY, the following:— At half-past 10 o'clock, Vans, springcarts, horses, and harness. Draught horses, tipdrays, and harness. At 12 o'clock, Superior draught mares and geldings. Well-bred saddle and harness horses. Van, 'bus, and saddle horses.

HIGH-CLASS CHESTNUT GELDING, by RHOODEE.
WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from Mr. W. L. LANGDON to sell by auction, at their Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock, ONE SUPERIOR CHESTNUT GELDING, by RHOODEE, thoroughly broken in to saddle and harness, and stands trams; can be highly recommended.

BLACK GELDING, by KHEDIVE.
WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from Mr. M. HARRIS to sell by auction, at their Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock, 1 black gelding, 6 years, by Khedive, a first-class hackney.

VERY SUPERIOR BAY MARE, SINGLE-SEAT BUGGY with TOP, and SET HARNESS.
WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from the Owner to sell by auction, at their Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock, Bay mare, thoroughly broken in to saddle and harness, stands trams; a really first-class lot.

BAY DRAUGHT COLT, 4 YEARS OLD, CHESTNUT DITTO, DITTO.
WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions to sell by auction, at their Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock, Bay colt, 4 years, a stanch worker. Chestnut colt, ditto, ditto ditto. No Reserve.

INGLIS and SON'S HORSE BAZAAR.
WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from Mr. W. C. FORD to sell by auction, at their Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock, Grey gelding, light American buggy, and harness. Brown gelding, a splendid hack. Both the above are quiet past trams.

INGLIS and SON'S BAZAAR, TO-MORROW.
10 SADDLE AND HARNESS HORSES, AND 15 MEDIUM DRAUGHT HORSES.
WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from Mr. JOHN MELEY to sell by auction, at their Bazaar, TO-MORROW, WEDNESDAY, the 6th APRIL, at 12 o'clock,
1 pair match grey geldings, 4 and 5 years old
1 pair brown cob geldings, 6 years
2 chestnut geldings, 2 grey geldings, 2 bay geldings } Splendid saddle horses
15 active draught horses, fit for builders' waggons, spring vans, &c.; all young and good.
THE ABOVE HORSES WERE PURCHASED BY MR. MELEY FOR THE MILITARY ENCAMPMENT THIS YEAR, AND, AS THE SAME HAS BEEN ABANDONED, HE IS COMPELLED TO DISPOSE OF THE LOT, AS NOW HE HAS NO USE FOR THEM.
HORSES. HORSES. HORSES.

CAMPERDOWN YARDS. THIS DAY, TUESDAY, APRIL 5.
50 HORSES. 50 HORSES.
WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from Messrs. PERRY and HINES to sell by auction, at the Camperdown Yards, THIS DAY, TUESDAY, the 5th APRIL, at 2.30 p.m., 50 HEAD SUPERIOR FRESH COUNTRY HORSES, consisting of heavy and active draughts, first-class coach and van horses, upstanding, well-bred, light harness horses, suitable for carriage, cab, and light harness and saddle work, broken and unbroken.
THE ABOVE HORSES HAVE BEEN SPECIALLY SELECTED FOR THE REQUIREMENTS of the SYDNEY MARKET, and are DESCRIBED as a FIRST-CLASS LOT, and in SPLENDID CONDITION.
HORSES. HORSES. HORSES.

CAMPERDOWN YARDS. THIS DAY, TUESDAY.
40 SUPERIOR HORSES FROM TARALGA.
WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from Mr P. MOONEY, The Meadows, Taralga, to sell by auction, at the Camperdown Yards, THIS DAY, TUESDAY, 5th April, at 2.30 p.m., 40 SUPERIOR FRESH COUNTRY HORSES, consisting of heavy draught and upstanding well-bred horses, suitable for 'bus, cab, and general light harness and saddle work, broken and unbroken. Among the lot are a few CHILDREN'S PONIES, BROKEN IN, QUIET.
THE ABOVE ARE DESCRIBED as a SUPERIOR LOT, and in SPLENDID CONDITION.
HORSES. HORSES. HORSES.

CAMPERDOWN YARDS. TO-MORROW, WEDNESDAY.
60 HUNTER RIVER HORSES.
WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from Messrs. BUFFIER and STEVENSON to sell by auction, at the CAMPERDOWN YARDS, TO-MORROW, WEDNESDAY, APRIL 6, at 2.30 p.m., 60 SUPERIOR HUNTER RIVER HORSES, consisting of heavy and active draught and very superior light harness and saddle horses, with quality and substance, and in splendid condition.
THE ABOVE HORSES ARE DESCRIBED AS A FIRST-CLASS LOT, AND WERE SELECTED PRINCIPALLY FROM THE WELL-KNOWN STUDS OF MESSRS. DURHAM, DIGHT, and ELLIS.

CITY CORPORATION SALE YARDS.
WILLIAM INGLIS and SON will sell by auction, at the above yards, THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock, 100 prime fat pigs, by rail.

30 HIGH-CLASSED HORSES, from the MACQUARIE.
CAMPERDOWN YARDS, WEDNESDAY, APRIL 6, 1892, at 2.30 p.m.
HILL, CLARK, and CO. are instructed by Messrs. Hill, Egan, and Rendall, to sell by auction, as above, 40 head superior colts and fillies, broken and unbroken, comprising buggy and carriage pairs, superior hackneys and light harness sorts, with a few active draughts, suitable for 'bus and van purposes.
The LIGHT PORTION are by THE GIFT, KHOLAN, and GAMECOCK, and MANY OF THEM ARE THOROUGHBRED, WITH PLENTY OF SIZE AND SUBSTANCE.

F. L. BARKER and CO. will sell by auction, at the Rooms, 9.30, Furskins and sheepskins.
GOLDSBROUGH, MORT, and CO., Ltd., sell at C. Quay Warehouse, at 10, Furred skins and leather.
HARRISON, JONES, and DEVLIN, Limited, will sell by public auction, THIS DAY, Tuesday, at their Macquarie-place Stores, Leather, at 10.30 a.m. And, at Woolbrokers'-chambers, Young-street, Butchers' green sheepskins, at 11.30 a.m. Marsupial skins, at 2.15 p.m.
TERMS, CASH.
JOHN BRIDGE and CO. will sell by auction, at Woolbrokers'-chambers, This Day, Marsupial skins.

CITY YARDS. THIS DAY, Tuesday, 5th April, 1892.
J. C. YOUNG and CO. will sell by auction, as above, at 11 o'clock sharp, 100 prime fat pigs, from Singleton; 50 prime fat pigs, from Goulburn; 25 prime fat pigs, from Northern rivers; 23 prime fat pigs, from Raymond Terrace.
J. C. YOUNG and CO. will sell by auction, at the Salesroom, Woolbrokers'-chambers, THIS DAY, at 11.30, Sheepskins. At 2.15, Marsupial skins.
METROPOLITAN Meat Market, Hay-st., auction sale, This Day, at 12 o'clock, beef, mutton, pigs. FAT PIGS. FAT PIGS.
PITT, SON, and BADGERY, Limited, will sell by auction, at the Corporation Sale Yards, Sydney, THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock, 50 prime fat pigs, by rail and steamer.
SEAFORTH PROCTER will sell by auction, THIS DAY, at Newtown Station, at 7 a.m., Firewood. At Darling Harbour Terminus, at 8.30 a.m., Firewood. At his Mart, 741 George-street, at 3 o'clock, 75 coops turkeys, geese, ducks, and fowls. Roll and keg butter, bacon, hams. 60 cases new laid duck and hen eggs. 25 tins garden honey, and sundries.

GOVERNMENT RAILWAYS.
LOST PROPERTY. LOST PROPERTY.
R. RICHARDSON has been instructed by the Railway Commissioners to sell by public auction, at the Darling Harbour Railway Station, on WEDNESDAY, 6th April, at 11 o'clock, A large quantity of unclaimed goods.
This sale is worthy the attention of dealers and others, as a lot of useful goods will be sold.
The catalogue is a very long one, therefore the sale will commence punctually at the advertised time.
ROBERT RICHARDSON, Auctioneer, Engine-street, Sydney.

BEFORE there was a railway station at Summer Hill the locality consisted of the Summer Hill Estate on the south side, and the Underwood Estate on the north side of the line. NEXT SATURDAY we sell 50 BUILDING PLOTS, portion of the original Summer Hill Estate, fronting Smith-street, Carrington-street, Spencer-street, Edward-street—all a few minutes only from the station. These Lands will be sold CHEAP, and on special terms, namely Cash, and get your Torrens title deeds at once; or 10 per cent. deposit, balance over 5 years at 6 per cent. Plans ready on Wednesday. HARDIE and GORMAN, Auctioneers.

MOOREFIELD PONY RACES, This Day, at Kogarah. First race 2.15. Six events; 150 entries.

SUMMER HILL LAND SALE NEXT SATURDAY. Plans on Wednesday. Hardie and Gorman.
MOOREFIELD PONY RACES, This Day, at Kogarah. First race 2.15. Six events; 150 entries.
AUCTIONEER'S SPECIAL NOTICE.—The Sale advertised for to-day at North Shore is unavoidably Postponed till future date. HYAM HAINS, Auctioneer.

Estate of E. W. BATHURST.
THIS DAY, TUESDAY, at 11 a.m.
In the Rooms, 32 Hunter-street.
By order of the Official Assignee. The Official Assignee's Right, Title, and Interest, if any, in and to—
1. THE WEAL EDITH TIN-MINING COMPANY.
2. WEAL VICTORIA TIN-MINING COMPANY.
3. TINGHA FREEHOLD TIN MINE.
4. THE TINGHA DEEP LEAD TIN-MINE CO.
C. F. W. LLOYD and CO. will sell by auction, THIS DAY, as above. Without Reserve. Terms, Cash.

PARK-STREET.
ESTATE OF STEPHEN PUNCH.
THIS DAY, TUESDAY, at 11 a.m.
In the ROOMS, 32 Hunter-street.
By Order of the Official Assignee.
The Official Assignee's Right, Title, and Interest, if any, in and to a LEASE for 26 years (dates January, 1888) of two SHOPS in Park-street occupied by Mr. Harris at a rental of £4 10s each per week, or £468 per annum. Mr. Harris's lease expires January, 1893.
Full particulars as to Mortgage from the Auctioneers.
C. F. W. LLOYD and CO. will sell by auction, THIS DAY, TUESDAY, at 11 a.m., The above. Terms, Cash.

ESTATE of JOHN CONLON, of Missenden-road, Camperdown, Grocer.
WEDNESDAY Next, at 11 a.m.
On the Premises, Missenden-road, CAMPERDOWN.
By order of the Official Assignee.
A well-assorted STOCK of GROCERIES, FITTINGS, WINES; Chestnut HORSE, in Splendid Order.
C. F. W. LLOYD and CO. will sell by auction, as above. Without Reserve. Terms, Cash. Offices: 32 Hunter-street.

CONTINUATION SALE OF VALUABLE DRAPERY STOCK from North Shore.
HOSIERY, CHILDREN'S CLOTHING, UNDERCLOTHING, MERCERY, BROOKS' and COATES' COTTONS, RIBBONS, VELVETS, COSTUMES, PRINTS, ROBES, DRESS MATERIALS, FASHIONABLE TRIMMINGS, STAYS, MILLINERY, FEATHERS, FLOWERS, LACES, BEAD GIMPS, DRESS SETS, MILLINERY, TRIMMED and UNTRIMMED HATS, &c., &c.
MEN'S CLOTHING, SHIRTS and MERCERY.
H. KELLETT and CO. will sell by auction, at the Rooms, 198 Pitt-street, THIS DAY, TUESDAY, at 11 sharp, The above. NO RESERVE.

ASHFIELD.
THIS DAY, TUESDAY, APRIL 5, at 11 o'clock.
SALE by AUCTION, at MELIORA, Charlotte-street.
The HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and Effects.
HANDSOME WALNUT PIANO, by STRAUSS
MAHOGANY TELESCOPE TABLE, 8 x 4
MAHOGANY SIDEBOARD, p. g. Back
DRAWING-ROOM SUITE, in Crape Cretonne
ORMOLU BRIC-A-BRAC CABINETS
Work Tables, Occasional Chairs
AUSTRIAN FURNITURE
MARBLE WASHSTANDS, Brass-rail BEDSTEADS
Horsehair Mattresses
Cedar and Pine CHESTS of DRAWERS
HANDSOME PAIR of ITALIAN BURR WALNUT DUCHESSE TOILETS
Large collection of OIL PAINTINGS
WATER COLOURS and ENGRAVINGS
1 5-PIECE SETTEE BEDROOM SUITE
Ornaments, E.P. Ware, Dinner Sets
SPLENDID TEA and BREAKFAST SET
Oilcloths, Kitchen Utensils, &c.
GARDEN TOOLS
Drain Pipes, Corrugated Galvanised Iron
3 HIVES OF BEES
&c., &c.
STANTON and SON have received instructions to sell as above.
POSITIVELY WITHOUT RESERVE.
STANTON and SON, Auctioneers, Summer Hill.

SUMMER HILL.
THURSDAY, APRIL 7, 1892, at 11 o'clock.
SALE BY AUCTION, at Thornleigh, Grosvenor-crescent, opposite Summer Hill station.
The Whole of the Superior HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS.
Magnificent Walnut Piano (Lipp), Very Massive Mahogany Sideboard, 7ft. long; Mahogany Telescope Table, 10 x 5; Walnut Cabinets and Whatnots, Sewing Machine, Lot of Books, Superior E.P. ware, Dinner and Dessert Sets, Occasional Drawing-room Suite in solid walnut frames, Oak Hall Stand, Large Mahogany Wardrobe, Pine Bedroom Suite, Overmantels, Bedsteads and Bedding, Wardrobes, Duchesse Toilets, Washstands, Chests of Drawers, Kitchen Utensils, &c., Garden Seat, Gas Stove, Mangle, &c.
STANTON and SON have been favoured with instructions from the proprietor to sell, as above. Inspection invited on Wednesday next. Catalogues on application to STANTON and SON, Auctioneers, Summer Hill.

THIS DAY, at 11 a.m. sharp.
On the Premises, DUNROBIN, Edgecliffe-road, Woollahra (near foot of Queen-street).
Under Distraint for Rent and Bill of Sale.
Imperative and totally UNRESERVED SALE of MAGNIFICENT and SUPERIOR Household FURNITURE and EFFECTS, comprising:—
EBON and GOLD COTTAGE PIANOFORTE
Drawing-room Suite, Cane ditto
Walnut Inlaid, Loo, and other Tables
BRUSSELS and WILTON CARPETS, Linoleum
B. and Gold Plate-glass Overmantels
CEDAR EXTENDING DINING TABLE, Pictures
Cedar Sideboard, P.G. back
Austrian Furniture, E.P. WARE, A1 quality
BEDROOM SUITES in ASH and BIRCH
MASSIVE NICKEL-PLATED BEDSTEADS
Cabinet Sewing Machine (New Home)
Household, Cooking, and Laundry Utensils of every description, and of first-class quality.
To Ladies and Gentlemen Furnishing, Commission Agents, and to the Trade in General.
BARNARD and CO. will sell by auction, as above, without the slightest reserve. Terms, Cash. Auctioneers' office, 74 Castlereagh-street.

THIS DAY, at 10.30 o'clock. Under Distraint for Rent.
On the Premises, 70 Hunter-street (upstairs).
Small Iron Safe, Draughtsman's Table and Boards, Office table, Oilcloth, Mats, and Carpet; also, quantity of Sample Tiles and Bricks.
JOHN P. LISTER has received instructions to sell by auction, on the above premises, THIS DAY, at 10.30 o'clock, as above.

UNREDEEMED CLOTHING. THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock.
JOHN P. LISTER will sell by auction, at his Rooms, 274 Pitt-street, Clothing, boots, blankets, &c.
JOHN P. LISTER will sell by auction, at his Rooms, 274 Pitt-street, THIS DAY, The unredeemed sundries and clothing pledged with Mr. J. Griffiths, of Park-street. At 2 o'clock—Sundries, comprising field and opera glasses, cutlery and platedware, musical and mathematical instruments, clocks, pipes, guns, revolvers, books, albums, &c. At 3 o'clock—Clothing, boots, blankets, &c.

THIS DAY, April 5, at 10.30 a.m.
UNRESERVED AUCTION SALE, at Bay-street, near Chambers-street, Glebe.
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS.
WM. CRANE, Jun. (No. 5 Temple-court, King-street), will sell by auction, as above.

WEDNESDAY, April 6, at 11 a.m.
IMPERATIVE and UNRESERVED AUCTION SALE, at No. 519 Bourke-street, Surry Hills.
Superior Household Furniture and Appointments.
Morocco Dining-room Suite; 6ft. Sideboard, p.g. back; Splendid Bev.-plate Walnut Overmantel, Pair well-finished Duchesse TOILETS, Beautiful Walnut Table, High-class Nicnacs and Ornaments, Drawing-room SUITE, Superior Brass-mounted Enam. Bedsteads, Rowcliffe Mattresses, &c., and a large quantity of useful sundries.
WM. CRANE, Jun. (No. 5 Temple-court, King-street), will sell by auction, at 519 Bourke-street, S. H., TO-MORROW (Wednesday) MORNING, Excellent furniture and appointments. Terms, Prompt Cash. No Reserve.

WEDNESDAY, April 6, at 2.30 p.m.
AUCTION SALE at WARATAH-STREET, off Bayswater-road, near Rushcutter Bay, BUILDING MATERIALS of Two W.B. Cottages (formerly occupied by the late Judge Hargraves), constructed of Bricks, Corrugated Iron, Lead, Hardwood, &c.
WM. CRANE, Jun. (No. 5 Temple-court, King-street), will sell by auction. The MATERIALS of above cottages, in one lot. Terms, Cash. A cash deposit of £10 required.

THIS DAY, TUESDAY, at 2 o'clock.
At the Rooms, 280 Pitt-street.
UNDER BILL OF SALE.
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE AND EFFECTS.
DUNN and WEBB will sell by auction, as above.

THIS DAY, Under Distraint for Rent, at 30 King-street, Newtown, at 11 a.m.

M. V. SOLOMON and CO., Auctioneers, Newtown Markets.
TO-MORROW, WEDNESDAY, the 6th APRIL, at 11.
A SMALL BUT VERY WELL ASSORTED STOCK of about £300. Now coming in from Croydon.
FOR IMPERATIVE SALE.
Homespuns, Serges, Beiges, Snowflakes, Cashmeres, Flannelettes and Flannels, Scar. ditto, Prints, Zephyrs, Sateens, Corsets, Underclothing, Pinnas, Aprons, Frocks, Skirts, Toilets, Towels, Grey Calico, Sheeting, Glass Cloth, Damasks, Jackets, Ulsters, Haberdashery Lines, Laces and Embroideries, Gloves, Ribbons, Feathers, Flowers, Gossamers, Hosiery, Ladies' Belts, Ties, Braces, &c.
Also, New Lines Men's Serge, Blue Twill, and Black Corkscrew Suits.
Boys' Commodore and Sailor Suits, Tweed Trousers, Shirts and Singlets.
Cardigans, Turkey Quilts, all Nos.

JAMES RODD and CO. are instructed by those concerned to sell by auction, at their Rooms, 7 Wynyard-street, TO-MORROW, sharp, 11, A RETAIL STOCK and CONSIGNMENTS of CLOTHING, &c., recently landed.

TRAINS for the SUMMER HILL LAND SALE next SATURDAY AFTERNOON, leave Sydney 1.25, 2.5, 2.35, 3.5. Money will be made by buyers on Saturday, as the land will go cheap. Fifty lots a few minutes from the station, on the south side. Torrens title, and easy terms, or good discount for cash, and deeds at once. Plans on Wednesday.
HARDIE and GORMAN, Auctioneers.

THIS DAY, APRIL 5, at 11 a.m.
FOR SALE BY AUCTION.
Under Instructions from the Importers.
420 Bags and Pockets Brown and Ration SUGARS
150 Cases PRESERVED MEATS
57 Ditto Quarter SARDINES
20 Ditto LING
140 Tins CANDIED PEEL
50 Cases CAPERS
10 Ditto OLIVES
10 Ditto DAY and MARTIN'S BLACKING
10 Ditto BLACK LEAD
4 Tons GLUCOSE
150 Cases CURRANTS
120 Ditto SOUTHWELL'S JAMS
10 Ditto MACCARONI
120 Boxes YEAST POWDER
40 Kegs TARTARIC ACID
24 Ditto CARBONATE SODA
6 Cases D.S.F. MUSTARD
7 Kegs ALUM
20 Cases SPARKLING HOCK
15 Ditto POLO BITTERS
200 Ditto CALDER'S ALE
20 Ditto STOUT
25 Quarter-casks WHISKY, I.B.
8 Quarter-casks SHERRY
2 Cases TURKISH CIGARETTES
4 Cases MYRRH TOOTH POWDER
20,000 MANILLA CIGARS
40 Boxes MUSCATELS
To close accounts.
80 Boxes MUSCATELS
45 Half-barrels WHITE HERRINGS
140 Quarter-ditto DITTO DITTO
2 Half-barrels SALMON
28 Cases RED HERRINGS
3 Ditto PEW'S PICKLES
28 Ditto HOLBROOK'S PICKLES
Bulk may be inspected at Gilchrist's Bond.
Ex Birtha.
16 Hogsheads Steel, Coulson, and Co.'s EDINBURGH PALE ALE.
Also, with all faults,
24 Cases CHAMPAGNE, I.B.
22 Boxes CURRANTS.
To Grocers, Storekeepers, Shippers, Dealers, &c.
HARRIS and ACKMAN will SELL the above BY AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199 PITT-STREET, THIS DAY, 5th APRIL, at 11 a.m.
TERMS AT SALE.

THIS DAY, APRIL 5, at 11 a.m.
FOR SALE BY AUCTION.
10 Cases FINEST NEW ZEALAND BACON.
To Grocers, Provision Merchants, Dealers, &c.
HARRIS and ACKMAN will SELL the above BY AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199 PITT-STREET, THIS DAY, the 5th APRIL, at 11 a.m.
TERMS AT SALE.

THIS DAY, APRIL 5, at half-past 2 o'clock in the afternoon.
EXTENSIVE SALE BY AUCTION of SUPERIOR COLONIAL-MADE FURNITURE, comprising—
OFFICE TABLES and DESKS, TOILET TABLES, Kitchen Tables, Kitchen Dressers, Pine Safes,
ELEGANT CEDAR and PINE BEDROOM SUITES, Cedar and Pine Chiffoniers, Cedar Chiffonier Safes,
DINING TABLES, Single and Double Washstands,
LARGE CEDAR SIDEBOARDS, with Bevelled Plate-glass Backs, and fitted with Drawers, Cellarettes, &c.;
PINE and CEDAR WARDROBES, with Bevelled Plate-glass Doors;
CEDAR and PINE CHESTS of DRAWERS, Combination and Portable;
PAIRS of CEDAR and PINE TOILETS, with Marble Tops;
HANDSOME CEDAR BOOKCASES, Plate-glass Doors, with Drawers and Cupboards;
also, HANDSOME OVERMANTELS, MIRRORS, &c., in Walnut and Black-and-Gold Frames, &c., &c., &c.
To Ladies and Gentlemen Furnishing, Furniture Warehousemen, Commission Brokers, &c., &c.
HARRIS and ACKMAN will hold the above EXTENSIVE SALE BY AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199 PITT-STREET, THIS DAY, 5th APRIL, at half-past 2 o'clock in the afternoon.
TERMS, CASH.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 6, at 11 a.m.
SALE BY AUCTION, under instructions from the Importers.
Ex VARIOUS SHIPS.
40 Cases AUSTRIAN BENTWOOD FURNITURE, comprising Chairs, Nos. 14, 14½, 18, and 20; Armchairs, Rockers.
To Furniture Warehousemen, Dealers, &c.
HARRIS and ACKMAN will SELL the above BY AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199 PITT-STREET, on WEDNESDAY NEXT, 6th APRIL, at 11 a.m.
TERMS AT SALE.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 6, at 11 a.m.
For POSITIVELY UNRESERVED SALE by AUCTION.
In order to close Consignment Accounts.
Ex various Ships.
20 Cases SHEFFIELD CUTLERY, TOOLS, PLATED WARE, &c., comprising
Fish Carvers, Table and Dessert Knives, Carvers, Bread Knives, Cutlery, Tea Knives, Fruit Knives, Pickle Forks, Butter Knives, Sardine Forks, Jam Servers; Children's Knives, Forks, and Spoons; Table Spoons, Nut Crackers, Jelly Spoons, Watch Chains, Dog Chains, Vices, Tin-openers, Corkscrews, Call Bells, Whistles, Honey Dishes, Potato Mashers, Key Rings, Paper Clips, Shovels, Pistols, Pipes, Clocks, Mincing Knives, &c., &c.
To Cutlers, Ironmongers, Storekeepers, Shippers, Dealers, &c.
HARRIS and ACKMAN will SELL the above BY AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199 PITT-STREET, on WEDNESDAY NEXT, the 6th APRIL, at 11 a.m.
TERMS AT SALE.

GLENMORE-ROAD.
WEDNESDAY, 6th APRIL, at 11 O'CLOCK A.M.
IMPORTANT SALE BY AUCTION, at the Residence of MRS. HARRY WOODS, ELLERSLIE, 160 GLENMORE-ROAD, PADDINGTON, of SURPLUS FURNITURE, absolutely WITHOUT RESERVE.
HANDSOME BEST QUALITY BRUSSELS CARPETS, with borders
WINDOW CORNICES and Rich Tapestry Draperies
DRAWING-ROOM OCCASIONAL CHAIRS
TWO VERY ELEGANT VENETIAN BRACKETS, supporting figures of musicians
FAIRY LIGHT CHANDELIER, with ormolu mountings
Occasional Tables, Whatnots, and Ornaments.
SUPERIOR CEDAR BOOKCASE, with plate-glass doors
VALUABLE BOOKS, works of Dickens, Cooper, Grant, Kingsley, Lever, &c.
PICTURESQUE ATLAS OF AUSTRALIA, in morocco
STANDARD WORKS of the POETS Milton, Cowper, Shelley, Moore, and others.
VERY SUPERIOR LARGE MAHOGANY WARDROBE.
Superior Dressing Tables, Chests of Drawers, Bedsteads, &c.
And MISCELLANEOUS HOUSEHOLD EFFECTS.
HARRIS and ACKMAN have been favoured with instructions from Mrs. HARRY WOODS to conduct the important sale by auction, at her residence, as above, on WEDNESDAY, APRIL 6, at 11 a.m.
. ON VIEW before commencement of Sale on Wednesday.

ON THE PREMISES, 89 CLARENCE-STREET.
WEDNESDAY, APRIL 6, at 11 a.m.
CONTINUATION SALE BY AUCTION of THE SALVAGE BULK STOCK of Messrs. C. ST. HEAPS and CO., consisting of—
FANCY GOODS
STATIONERY
TOYS
PIPES, &c., &c.
To Tobacconists, Fancy Goods Repositories, Storekeepers, &c., &c.
HARRIS and ACKMAN will CONTINUE THE SALE of the above by AUCTION, at 89 CLARENCE-STREET, on WEDNESDAY, 6th APRIL, at 11 a.m.
TERMS, CASH.

CONCORD, near the Burwood Railway Station.
THURSDAY, 7th APRIL, AT 11 O'CLOCK A.M.
HIGHLY ATTRACTIVE SALE BY AUCTION, at CLEWER, BURTON-STREET, CONCORD, under instructions from H. C. ELLISON RICH, Esq., in consequence of his projected departure for Europe.
The whole of his SUPERIOR FURNITURE and HOUSEHOLD APPOINTMENTS, made expressly to order by Messrs. NORTON and REED, the well-known Art Furnishers of this city.
Also, SINGLE-SEATED BUGGY, SET of BUGGY HARNESS, SULKY, &c., &c.
HARRIS and ACKMAN have been favoured with instructions from H. C. ELLISON RICH, Esq., to conduct the Important Sale by Auction at his Residence, CLEWER, BURTON-STREET, CONCORD, on THURSDAY, APRIL 7, at 11 o'clock a.m.
. On View WEDNESDAY, April 6, from 10 o'clock a.m. to 5 o'clock p.m.
. CATALOGUES obtainable at the offices of the Auctioneers, 199 Pitt-street.

MOOREFIELD PONY RACES, This Day, at Kogarah. First race 2.15. Six events; 150 entries.
NORTH RYDE.—Allen Grove Estate, next Sat., on the ground. Lithos. Terms. F and W., Ltd. 2450

MOOREFIELD PONY RACES, This Day, at Kogarah. First race 2.15. Six events; 150 entries.
SUMMER HILL LAND SALE NEXT SATURDAY. Plans on Wednesday. Hardie and Gorman.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 6, at 11 a.m.
FOR SALE BY AUCTION.
Under instructions from the Importers.
35 Cases, each 500 Coils, DOUBLE TAPE FUSE
1 ditto WASHABLE GILT PICTURE-FRAME MOULDING
10 ditto CARRIAGE VARNISHES (assorted)
4 ditto PAINT BRUSHES
20 Large MILK CANS
250 WIRE DOOR and WINDOW FRAMES
100 TELEPHONE ARM RESTS
5 Cases MACHINE OIL
5 ditto SHEEP DIP
3 ditto LAVATORY FITTINGS
50 Coils RUBBER HOSE
3 Cases POCKET CUTLERY
20 ditto IRON SAFES
10 Cases FRUIT-PRESERVING JARS
50 ditto AXE HANDLES
50 ditto PICK HANDLES.
Also, 4 Large Coils WIRE ROPE.
To Ironmongers, Storekeepers, Shippers, Dealers, &c.
HARRIS and ACKMAN will SELL the above BY AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199 PITT-STREET, on WEDNESDAY NEXT, the 6th APRIL, at 11 a.m.
TERMS AT SALE.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 6, at 11 a.m.
FOR SALE BY AUCTION.
Under instructions from the Importers.
WITH ALL FAULTS, if any.
13 Cases, each 12, 1in. Ornamented HALF-TESTER BEDSTEADS, 2ft. 6in.
8 Cases, each 6, 2in. Taper HALF-TESTER BEDSTEADS, extended foot rail, black and gold, with brass rods and handsome mountings.
Also,
23 Cases SCARBOROUGH TIN TRUNKS, in nests of 6
13 Cases PLAIN TRAY TOILET GLASSES, 9 x 7, 10 x 8, 12 x 9, 14 x 10.
To Furniture Warehousemen, Bedstead Manufacturers, Dealers, &c.
HARRIS and ACKMAN will continue the above SALE BY AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199 PITT-STREET, on WEDNESDAY NEXT, 6th APRIL, at 11 a.m.
TERMS AT SALE.

THE NEW AUCTION MART, 199 PITT-STREET.
FRIDAY NEXT, APRIL 8, at Eleven a.m.
MAGNIFICENT DISPLAY and IMPORTANT UNRESERVED SALE BY AUCTION of 28 CASES ELEGANT FURNITURE, SUPERB OVERMANTELS, &c., &c.
Landed in excellent order.
Ex DRUMALIS, from London.
Under instructions from Mr. D. H. DAVIS.
The SHIPMENT has been personally selected by Mr. D. H. DAVIS, whose consignments are so favourably known for their superiority of workmanship, artistic design and excellent taste, and for their suitability to this market.
The Shipment comprises DRAWING-ROOM FURNITURE.
ELEGANT ROSEWOOD INLAID SETTEE SUITES of 3 PIECES, covered with figured Silk, Tapestries, Brocatelles, &c.
A large variety of highly ornamental and fashionable OCCASIONAL CHAIRS, CABINETS, FANCY TABLES, PEDESTALS, ETAGERES, BRACKETS, MUSIC STANDS, WHATNOTS, &c., &c., in all the latest and most artistic designs.
DINING-ROOM FURNITURE.
DINING-ROOM SUITES in American Walnut and English Oak, covered with Morocco, and upholstered with Horsehair.
MAGNIFICENT SOLID WALNUT and OAK SIDEBOARDS, richly carved, with lofty bevelled mirror backs, side shelves, and columns, shaped fronts, enclosed cupboards, carved panelled doors.
ALSO EN SUITE, TELESCOPE DINING TABLES, THREE-TIER DINNER WAGGONS, ELEGANT OVERMANTELS, SPLENDID SECRETAIRE and CABINET BOOKCASES, ETAGERES, BRACKETS, BOOKSHELVES, &c.
BEDROOM FURNITURE, manufactured from the choicest selection of HUNGARIAN ASH and AMERICAN WALNUT, including HANDSOME WARDROBES, with carved panels, bevelled mirrored doors, and fitted with trays, drawers, and hangers. PAIRS OF PEDESTAL TOILETS, with marble top and tile back washstands, bevelled swing mirrors, with drawers, recesses, jewel boxes, &c. CARVED PEDESTAL CUPBOARDS, CANE-SEATED CHAIRS, in carved frames, TOWEL RAILS, carved and twist pillars.
Also, MAGNIFICENT PAIRS TOILETS, in Birch, Ash, Walnut, and Mahogany, various shapes, viz., Elliptic, Half Circular, Early English, Cheval, Duchesse, Pedestal, &c. COMMODES, SHAVING STANDS, MEDICINE CUPBOARDS, CRETONNE BEDROOM CHAIRS.
HALL and OFFICE FURNITURE.
SPLENDID HALL STANDS, with Mirrored and Tiled Backs, and HALL CHAIRS TO MATCH. HAT and COAT RACKS. PATENT DOOR SCRAPERS.
CYLINDER and PEDESTAL WRITING TABLES in Oak and Mahogany. REVOLVING OFFICE CHAIRS. OFFICE WASHSTANDS, completely fitted, Square, Enclosed, and Fluted.
HANDSOME OVERMANTELS and PIER GLASSES, beautifully-carved frames, in Walnut, Oak, and Black and Gold, with side Shelves, Bevelled Plates, &c.
To Furniture Warehousemen, Ladies and Gentlemen Furnishing, Commission Agents, &c.
HARRIS and ACKMAN are in receipt of instructions from Mr. D. H. DAVIS to SELL BY AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199 PITT-STREET, on FRIDAY NEXT, the 8th APRIL, at 11 a.m., THE ABOVE SHIPMENT OF ELEGANT ART FURNITURE.
The FURNITURE will be fully displayed for inspection on THURSDAY NEXT, the 7th April.
DESCRIPTIVE CATALOGUES in course of preparation, and will be obtainable at the Offices of the Auctioneers.
TERMS AT SALE.

IMPORTANT PRELIMINARY ANNOUNCEMENT.
TWO DAYS' GREAT SALE BY AUCTION, on TUESDAY, 26th, and WEDNESDAY, 27th APRIL, commencing BOTH DAYS at ELEVEN O'CLOCK A.M., at "ST. KILLIANS," VICTORIA-ROAD, BELLEVUE HILL, ROSE BAY.
Under Instructions from THE EXECUTORS in the ESTATE of THE LATE JUDGE JOSEPHSON.
The whole of the EXCEEDINGLY HIGH-CLASS FURNITURE and ELABORATE APPOINTMENTS.
CRYSTAL CUT GLASS, VALUABLE PORCELAIN.
STERLING SILVER PLATE.
ELECTROPLATE, &c., &c.
MAGNIFICENT ENGLISH-BUILT CARRIAGES, LAUDAU, BROUGHAM, and VICTORIA.
ENGLISH CARRIAGE HARNESS.
CARRIAGE HORSES, &c., &c.
FURTHER PARTICULARS will be duly advertised and CATALOGUES prepared before the date of sale.
VIEW DAYS will be specially advertised.
HARRIS and ACKMAN beg to announce that they have been favoured with instructions from the EXECUTORS in the ESTATE of the Late JUDGE JOSEPHSON to conduct the highly important sale by auction, at the Residence, as above, on TUESDAY, 26th, and WEDNESDAY, 26th APRIL, commencing BOTH DAYS at 11 O'CLOCK A.M.

THIS DAY, TUESDAY, APRIL 5, at 3 o'clock.
2 ADA-TERRACE, RUSH-STREET, off POINT PIPER ROAD, PADDINGTON.
E. GIBBES and CO. having been favoured with instructions from Mrs. MORRIS, who is leaving the district, will SELL by AUCTION, on the above premises, the whole of the HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and effects of a 5-roomed house, and comprising Austrian and other furniture, p.g. sideboard, leather easy chair, couches, chef., safe, loo, occ. and other tables, blk. and g. overmantels, h. t. and other bedsteads and bedding, comb. and other chests drawers, washstands and ware, carpets, oilcloth, crockery, glassware, ornaments, pictures, kitchen and laundry utensils, and lot of sundries too numerous to mention.
AUCTIONEERS' OFFICES, 470 OXFORD-STREET, PADDINGTON.

ATTRACTIVE SALE BY AUCTION, at the RESIDENCE OF Mr. J. E. O'DWYER, CRAIGEND-STREET, DARLINGHURST, TUESDAY, APRIL 5, at 11 a.m., of SUPERIOR HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS, WALNUT PIANO, BOOKS, Clock, and the FURNITURE of FOUR BEDROOMS.
NEWTON and LAMB have received instructions from Mr. J. E. O'Dwyer to sell by auction at his Residence, Craigend-street, Darlinghurst, THIS DAY, 5th APRIL, at 11 a.m., SUPERIOR HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, WALNUT PIANO, and other HOUSEHOLD EFFECTS.
Terms, Cash.

TRAINS for the SUMMER HILL LAND SALE next SATURDAY AFTERNOON, leave Sydney 1.25, 2.5, 2.35, 3.5. Money will be made by buyers on Saturday, as the land will go cheap. Fifty lots a few minutes from the station, on the south side. Torrens title, and easy terms, or good discount for cash, and deeds at once. Plans on Wednesday.
HARDIE and GORMAN, Auctioneers.

NO empty houses near the Allotments, Fulham-st., Newtown, for Auction Sale Satur. next. 100 King-st.

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Auction Sales.

MOOREFIELD PONY RACES, This Day, at Kogarah. First race 2.15. Six events; 150 entries.

THIS DAY, APRIL 5, at THE CITY MART, at 10.45 a.m.

270 BAGS FLOUR, with all faults
1 BALE HOPS.

SALVAGE STOCK.
From the FIRE at Mr. JAS. KIDMAN'S BAKERY, removed to the City Mart Stores, rear of 322 George-street, for survey.

On account of whom it may concern.

FRASER and CO. will sell by auction, as above,
Lot 1, 40 bags flour, slightly
2, 87 ditto ditto, ditto
3, 143 ditto ditto, much.
Also,
1 bale hops.

Bulk must be inspected prior to sale.

THIS DAY, APRIL 5th, at the CITY MART, at 11 o'clock.

NO RESERVE.

MACHINERY SALE.

1 10-h.p. Cornish Boiler and Mountings
1 12-h.p. Double Cylinder Portable Steam Engine
1 3-ton Contractors' Steam Crank.
Also
Spare parts Lawn Mowers.

Inspection invited at Stores, WEST CRESCENT-STREET, NORTH SYDNEY. Orders on application.

ON ACCOUNT OF WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

By Order of Mr. R. C. WEBSTER.

WITHOUT RESERVE.

FRASER and CO. will sell by auction, as above.

The abovedescribed machinery manufactured by Messrs. A. Shanks and Sons.
It is imperative that buyers should inspect prior to sale at the stores, Berry's Bay, North Shore, as above.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 6th, at CITY MART, at 11 o'clock.

FOOCHOW and INDIAN TEAS, Season 1891-92.

1687 Half-chests Foochow Teas
200 Packages Indian Teas.

On account of Messrs. BROWN and CO., 14 Spring-street.

TO CLOSE SHIPMENTS.

MUSTER PACKAGES ON VIEW.

FRASER and CO. will sell by auction as above.

Particulars in Catalogues.

WEDNESDAY, April 6.

At the City Mart, at 11 o'clock.

1000 BAGS PATNA RICE, each 1cwt.

Ex BUCEPHALUS, S.S., from Calcutta.

On account of whom it may concern.

FIRST LINE TO BE OFFERED.

FRASER and CO. will sell by auction, as above.

50 tons Patna rice, as per bulk and sample at Rooms.

PRELIMINARY.

TUESDAY, APRIL 12, at STRATHFIELD.

On the Premises known as Mr. B. CARNE'S RAILWAY CARRIAGE FACTORY, Strathfield Railway Station.

BY ORDER OF THE TRUSTEES.

ENTIRE STOCK-IN-TRADE.

EXPENSIVE WOODS, well seasoned and under cover.

BAR and ROD IRON
BOLTS, NUTS, and RIVETS (Brass and Copper)
OILS, PAINTS, and VARNISH
WIRE NAILS and SCREWS.

Catalogues now in course of preparation.

FRASER and CO. will sell by auction, as above.

Full particulars in future issue.

THIS DAY, TUESDAY, APRIL 5, at 11.30.

UNRESERVED SALE at THE ROOMS, 109 PITT-STREET.

HUGH DUFF and CO. have received instructions to sell by public auction, HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and general effects, removed for convenience of sale, comprising bedsteads and bedding, elegant ASH BEDROOM SUITE, chests of drawers, CARPETS; card, loo, and dining tables; DRAWING and DINING ROOM SUITES, occasional and other chairs, crockery, HARNESS, kitchen and culinary requisites, and miscellaneous effects.

ON VIEW MORNING OF SALE. SALE TO COMMENCE AT 11.30. TERMS, CASH.

THURSDAY, APRIL 7. UNRESERVED SALE of HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS, comprising DRAWING and DINING ROOM FURNITURE, Bedsteads, Bedding, Spring Mattresses, Kitchen Utensils, and Miscellaneous Effects, &c.

HUGH DUFF and CO. have received instructions from J. C. DAVIS, Esq., to sell by PUBLIC AUCTION, WITHOUT RESERVE, at his RESIDENCE, STIRLING VILLA, OXFORD-STREET, NORTH KINGSTON, near NEWTOWN, On THURSDAY, 7th APRIL, at 11.30, as above.

Important to Stationers, Fancy Goods Men, the Trade in General, and Others.

UNRESERVED SALE BY AUCTION.

THIS DAY, at 11 a.m., at THE STATIONERY and FANCY GOODS REPOSITORY, Burwood-road, near the Station.

The WHOLE of the well-assorted Stock of STATIONERY, BOOKS, FANCY GOODS, SCHOOL REQUISITES, ARTISTS' MATERIALS, TOYS, WOOLS, SILKS. Also, the Glass SHOWCASES, Counter, Shelving, Window Fittings, Gas Fittings, &c.

STRONGMAN and CO. have received instructions from G. M. WYNN, Esq., to sell as above, without reserve.

TERMS, SPOT CASH.

GRANVILLE. THURSDAY NEXT, at 11 a.m., at OVERTON, Jamieson-strete, near Town Hall.

STRONGMAN and CO. will sell by auction, The furnishings of a 10-roomed house.

IMPORTANT SALE OF ENGLISH FURNITURE.

At LINDEN, Wigram-road, Glebe Point.

Under instructions from Mr. Baxter, who is leaving the district. On the Premises, on THURSDAY, April 7, at 11 o'clock.

PIERCY ETHELL and MARSHALL (in conjunction with H. KELLETT and CO.) are instructed to sell by auction,
The whole of the HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS, all made to order, and purchased 12 months ago, comprising—
Plate, glass, and chinaware
Handsome inlaid rosewood occasional drawing-room suite, in Genoa velvet
Walnut gossip chairs, in silk velvet; basketware lounge chairs
Very handsome overmantel, with bevelled glass; occasional tables, steel engravings, &c.
Very fine UPRIGHT GRAND WALNUT PIANOFORTE, by L. Neufeld, full trichord, oblique, with nickel-plated steel frame; a superior, rich-toned instrument, purchased 12 months ago.
DINING-ROOM FURNITURE.
Superior ash bedroom suite, comprising wardrobe, with bevelled plateglass doors; dressing table, with bevelled swing glass; washstand, with marble top and tiled back; chest of drawers, &c., all mounted in brass and MADE TO ORDER
Brass-mounted bedsteads and hangings, very fine 5-frame bordered Brussels carpets, bentwood furniture, kitchen utensils, and a variety of ornaments and other effects. Terms, Cash. No reserve.

On View WEDNESDAY, April 6, and on day of sale. Catalogues at the Auctioneers' offices, 114A Pitt-street, opposite G.P.O., and 126 Pitt-street.

FRIDAY, 8th APRIL, at 11 a.m.

UNRESERVED SALE by PUBLIC AUCTION of HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS, at 5 STATION-STREET, NEWTOWN, the Residence of W. KRAUSE, Esq., comprising—
DINING and SITTING ROOM SUITES
BEDROOM FURNITURE
HOUSEHOLD LINEN
Glass, China, and E.P. Ware
Kitchen and Laundry Utensils.

WALTER BRADLEY and CO. have been favoured with instructions to sell as above, on FRIDAY, 8th APRIL, at 11 a.m. Terms, Cash.

BEFORE there was a railway station at Summer Hill the locality consisted of the Summer Hill Estate, on the south side, and the Underwood Estate on the north side of the line. NEXT SATURDAY we sell 80 BUILDING PLOTS, portion of the original Summer Hill Estate, fronting Smith-street, Carrington-street, Spencer-street, Edward-street—all a few minutes only from the station. These Lands will be sold CHEAP, and on special terms, namely, Cash, and get your Torrens title deeds at once; or 10 per cent. deposit, balance over 5 years at 6 per cent. Plans ready on Wednesday. HARDIE and GORMAN, Auctioneers.

SURROUNDED by first-class properties, and the finest sites in the district, are the half-acre Lots for Sale at Sans Souci next Saturday Afternoon. Plans and particulars from W. PRITCHARD and SON, 100 King-st.

WAVERLEY.—Cowper-st. frontages, on ground 3 p.m. next Sat. Lithos. Terms. R. and W., Ltd.

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AT THE ROOMS, 123 PITT-STREET.

THIS DAY, TUESDAY, APRIL 5,

AT 11 O'CLOCK SHARP.

ON ACCOUNT AND RISK OF THOSE CONCERNED.

REMOVED TO THE ROOM FOR SALE.

THE FURNISHINGS OF AN HOTEL, comprising—
Marble-top Washstands, Hot and Cold Water
Toilet Ware, Toilet Stands
Carpets, Linoleums, and Floorcloths
Counter, Bar, and Beer Engines
Club Ballot Boxes and Marbles
Playing Cards, Chests Drawers
Wardrobes, Chairs, Mangles
Pier Glasses, Overmantels, Pictures &c., &c.

DAVIS, MARKS, and CO. will sell the above at their Rooms, 123 Pitt-street, THIS DAY, TUESDAY, the 5th April, at 11 o'clock sharp.

TERMS, CASH.

HIGHLY IMPORTANT NOTICE.

TO THE WHOLESALE and RETAIL FURNISHING TRADE, COUNTRY STOREKEEPERS, BROKERS, COMMISSION AGENTS, SHIPPERS, and OTHERS.

IMPORTANT and ABSOLUTELY UNRESERVED SALE. AT THE ROOMS, 123 PITT-STREET, THIS DAY, TUESDAY, APRIL 5, AT 11 O'CLOCK SHARP,

ON ACCOUNT AND RISK OF Messrs. A. MEMORY and SON, THE ACTUAL MAKERS AND IMPORTERS, THE BALANCE of SUPERIOR OVERMANTELS, LOOKING GLASSES, &c.

Ex S.S. Ballaarat, Oceana, Port Victor, Bungaree, Echuca, &c. comprising
A splendid selection of the latest London designs in solid American Walnut, Oak, Ash, Mahogany, and Black and Gold Overmantels; and assortment of Fancy Brackets, Wall Decoration Mirrors; also, pairs Fancy Duchesse Toilets and Stands.

DAVIS, MARKS, and CO. will sell the above, at their Rooms, 123 Pitt-street, THIS DAY, TUESDAY, the 5th April, at 11 o'clock sharp, ON ACCOUNT AND RISK OF Messrs. A. MEMORY and SONS.

. The Auctioneers desire to draw the special attention of the trade to this important sale, as every line has to be SOLD REGARDLESS OF COST.

TERMS AT SALE.

AT THE ROOMS, 123 PITT-STREET.

THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock sharp.

ON ACCOUNT AND RISK OF THOSE CONCERNED. WITH ALL FAULTS, IF ANY.

20 ROLLS BEST BRUSSELS AND TAPESTRY CARPETS.

DAVIS, MARKS, and CO. will sell by public auction, at their Rooms, 123 Pitt-street, THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock sharp. THE ABOVE.

THIS DAY, Tuesday, at 11 o'clock sharp. By order of the Russian Consul. On the Premises, No. 159 Pitt-st., opp. The Strand Arcade.

THOMAS P. LISTER is instructed to sell by auction at the above address, One seaman's chest of clothing, bag clothing, s. h. watch and chain, g. ring and sundries; at 12 o'clock, 2 superior pianofortes by eminent makers, massive sideboards, p. g. b., chest drawers, bedsteads, bedding, bookcases, Austrian chairs, carpets, oilcloth, E. P. ware, glass, china, engravings, &c. Terms, Cash.

AUCTIONEERS' NOTICE.

To Ladies and Gentlemen leaving the colony, removing, or givingup housekeeping.

The undersigned conduct AUCTION SALES OF FURNITURE, at private residences, and an Expert Staff of Assistants are kept specially to attend to this Department.

THOMSON BROS., 3 Moore-street, close to G.P.O., Auctioneers and Estate Agents.

IMPORTANT AUCTION SALE. VALUABLE ORCHARD PROPERTY, known as Mr. Percy Scarr's, near the Orange Racecourse.

Important Sale, by order of the Mortgagees.

MONDAY, APRIL 11, 1892.

At the Royal Hotel, Orange.

J. S. LEEDS and CO. have received instructions from the Mortgagee to sell by public auction, at the Royal Hotel, Orange, on MONDAY, the 11th APRIL NEXT, at 2 o'clock,

That highly-improved and valuable ORCHARD PROPERTY, known as Mr. P. Scarr's, situated about 2½ miles from Orange, on the Molong railway line, and near the Orange Racecourse platform, in two lots.

Lot 1 comprises an area in one block of 61 acres 2 roods of rich agricultural land, adjoining Messrs. Hicks, Cantrill, and Dalton. The improvements are complete and substantial, comprising—4-roomed weatherboard house, lath and plaster inside, with kitchen attached, servant's room, bathroom, pantry; all iron roof, lined inside; water laid on to kitchen and bathroom; flower garden, choice plants; 5-stall stable, iron roof sheds, and all necessary outbuildings. The orchard is substantially fenced with two rails and best wire-netting, hare proof, and is stocked with about 3000 choice fruit trees, comprising 1600 apple trees in full bearing, 80 cherry trees, 239 peach trees, 50 nectarine trees, 37 apricot trees, 74 plum trees, 100 quince trees, pear and almond trees; also, about 5 acres of choice grape vines, quarter-acre strawberry vines, 230 currant bushes (black and white), and 300 gooseberry bushes, in full bearing.

Lot 2, comprising an area of 50 acres, in one block, adjoining Messrs. Dalton, West, and the railway line. Improvements complete and substantial, comprising four-roomed brick house, iron roof; four-roomed cottage, built of galvanised iron, lined with board inside, brick kitchen. Land all enclosed with wire-netting, very substantial, about 30 acres under choice fruit trees, comprising 1734 apple trees, 245 cherry trees, 118 pears, 170 apricots, 114 peaches, also plum and quince trees; total, 2880 trees. Also, about 630 raspberry vines and two acres of grape vines, 3 years old. There is also a nursery of young grafted apple trees, numbering about 3000, good well of water and spring never known to fail.

TERMS AT SALE.

The Auctioneers direct special attention to the sale of the above properties, which for position and richness of soil are unsurpassed in the district. Being situated near the racecourse platform makes the prospective value very great. Intending purchasers are invited to inspect the property.

NOTE DAY OF SALE.— MONDAY, the 11th of APRIL next, at the Royal Hotel, Orange.

QUEENSLAND.

CROWN LANDS SALE of LARGE AREAS.

Under the provisions of the Special Sales of Land Act of 1891.

TUESDAY, APRIL 26, 1892.

At 11 o'clock.

THE GOVERNMENT AUCTIONEER (Mr. G. T. Bell) will offer for sale by public auction, at his Rooms, 63 Queen-street, Brisbane,

ST. GEORGE LAND AGENCY.
5 country lots, Doondi Run Resumption, containing about 5000 acres each, situated in the Maranoa district, about 130 miles from Roma railway station, Southern and Western Railway; terms, 10s an acre, one-fourth cash, the balance in three equal annual instalments at 1, 2, and 3 years, with interest at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum from time of sale.

ST. GEORGE LAND AGENCY.
5 country lots, Collyben Run Resumption, of about 3900 acres each, Maranoa district, about 175 miles from Roma railway station; terms as above.

ST. GEORGE LAND AGENCY.
2 country lots, Gnoolooma Run Resumption, containing about 3900 acres each, Maranoa district, about 165 miles from the Roma railway station; terms as above.

THARGOMINDAH LAND AGENCY.
4 country lots, Ardoch Run Resumption, of 5000 acres each.
These lots are situated in the Warrego district, about 140 miles from Charleville railway station, Southern and Western Railway; terms as above.

SPRINGSURE LAND AGENCY.
20 country lots, Meteor and Albinia Downs Run Resumption and parish of Inderi, varying in extent from 250 to 5120 acres each.
These lots are in the Leichhardt district, being about 30 miles from the Springsure railway station, Central Railway; terms, 10s an acre cash.

SURAT LAND AGENCY.
2 country lots of about 320 acres each, parish of Noorindoo, Maranoa district, about 36 miles from Youlba railway station, Southern and Western Railway; terms, 15s an acre cash.

ROMA LAND AGENCY.
1 country lot, on the Merivale Run Resumption, of 1280 acres, about 80 miles from Amby railway station, Southern and Western Railway; terms, 10s an acre cash.

GOONDIWINDI LAND AGENCY.
1 country lot, parish of Bengalla, containing 1800 acres.
This lot is situated on the right bank of the Severn River, about 22 miles from Goondiwindi, and 75 miles from Stanthorpe railway station; terms, 10s an acre cash.

TAMBO LAND AGENCY.
2 country lots, containing about 1800 and 5000 acres respectively, on Nive Downs Run Resumption.
These portions are situated on the right bank of the Nive River, about 36 miles from Tambo; terms, 10s an acre cash.

Plans and catalogues can be obtained free of cost at the Local Land Agencies, or at the Department of Public Lands, Brisbane, where any further information will be given.

MILLINERY SHOW DAY.

TUESDAY, 5th APRIL, 1892.

DAVID JONES and CO. will make a SPECIAL DISPLAY of choice PARISIAN and BRITISH MILLINERY in their Spacious Millinery Room.

MILLINERY SHOW DAY, TO-DAY, TUESDAY, 5th APRIL, and TO-MORROW, WEDNESDAY.

DAVID JONES and CO., GEORGE and BARRACK STREETS, SYDNEY.

SUMMER HILL LAND SALE NEXT SATURDAY. Plans on Wednesday. Hardie and Gorman.

NORTH RYDE.—Allen Grove Estate, next Sat., on the ground. Lithos. Terms. R. and W., Ltd. 2430

MOOREFIELD PONY RACES, This Day, at Kogarah. First race 2.15. Six events; 150 entries.

FORFEITED SHARES.
CASTLEREAGH PROPRIETARY SILVER-MINING COMPANY, No Liability.

21,000 Shares, forfeited for non-payment of 3rd Call of 3d per Share.

BATT, RODD, and PURVES will sell by PUBLIC AUCTION, at the Rooms, 88 Pitt-street, Sydney, THIS DAY, TUESDAY, April 5th, at 12 noon, The above forfeited shares.

ORDER OF SALE of SUNDRY PROPERTIES to be OFFERED BY PUBLIC AUCTION, at the ROOMS, 123 PITT-STREET, at 11.30 a.m., WEDNESDAY, 6th APRIL.

STRAWBERRY HILLS.	Three Shops and Dwellings, known as Nos. 460, 460A, and 462 ELIZABETH-STREET, and Bakehouse and Stables and Coachhouse at rear.
NEWTOWN.	Shop and Dwelling, known as No. 79 KING-STREET, standing on land 13½ft. frontage by a depth of 69ft.
CAMPERDOWN.	Brick-built Residence, fronting ELIZABETH-STREET; land 35 x 104.
WOOLLAHRA. (By order of the Mortgagees.)	A COMPACT Leasehold PROPERTY, comprising Residence in POINT PIPER-ROAD, and 4 Houses in Queen-street; also BLOCK of Freehold LAND adjoining.
BURWOOD. (By order of the Mortgagees.)	Four 2-story Dwelling Houses, corner Shop and Dwelling, and W.B. Cottage, fronting BURWOOD-ROAD and Ada-street; land 176 x 150.
CASTLE HILL. (By order of the Mortgagees.)	13½ ACRES of good ORCHARD LAND, 9 acres of which are under fruit; also W.B. Cottage thereon.
FOREST LODGE.	BRICK RESIDENCE, known as Berlin, No. 35 WIGRAM-STREET.
MARRICKVILLE.	BLOCK of LAND, 52ft. frontage to Sydney-street, with W.B. Cottage thereon.

HARDIE and GORMAN, Auctioneers.

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.
WAVERLEY, between Market and Power Streets.
Allotment having 40ft. frontage to Boundary-street, on which is a pair of Semi-detached Cottages, built of brick, slate roof.
Also
Allotment having 40ft. frontage to Arden-street, depth 135ft. to a lane, with pair of Weatherboard Cottages thereon, iron roofs, each containing 3 rooms, kitchen, and washhouse; close to tram.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 8th APRIL, at 11 o'clock,
The above, full particulars of which will appear. (2468)

GORDON,
Splendid Block of Land, in area about 19 acres, more or less, being portion of John M'Mahon's grant of 40 acres, having frontage to the Lane Cove-road and a great depth of 48 chains.
This splendid block is close to Eastern-road Station and almost opposite the celebrated Cherry's Orchard Estate. The St. Leonards to Hornsby railway passes through the block.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by PUBLIC AUCTION, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 8th April, at 11 o'clock,
The above choice block. Plan on view. (2465)

SMALL WOOLLAHRA and DOUBLE BAY LEASEHOLDS.

LOT 1. GLEBE-STREET, off OCEAN-STREET.
Leasehold Land, having about 12ft. frontage to GLEBE-STREET, on which is erected a two-story brick house, containing 4 rooms, kitchen, &c. Term, about 30 years to run; ground rent, £5 per annum.

LOT 2. SOUTH HEAD-ROAD, DOUBLE BAY.
Leasehold Allotment, being lot 2 of W. A. Duncan's subdivision, fronting NEW SOUTH HEAD-ROAD, having about 50ft. frontage, with varying depths. Term, about 65 years to run; ground rent, £6 5s per annum.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 8th APRIL, at 11 o'clock,
The above small leaseholds. (2469)

NEXT SATURDAY.

WAVERLEY LAND SALE.

TWELVE BUSINESS OR DWELLING SITES, in COWPER-STREET (tram route), nearly opposite the POST-OFFICE.
The frontages range from 15ft. to 19ft. 10in. to COWPER-STREET, with depths of 150ft. extending to lane.
. This land was formerly Wilkinson's timber yard.
The MATERIALS will be SOLD in LOTS immediately after the allotments are offered.

ABSOLUTE SALE, NEXT SATURDAY, 9th APRIL, on the Ground, 3 p.m.

TORRENS TITLE. LITHOS. READY.

TERMS: 10 per cent. deposit, 15 per cent. in three months, balance in 6 half-yearly instalments, at 6 per cent. per annum.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited. (2439)

NORTH RYDE LAND SALE, on the Ground, 3.30 p.m., SATURDAY, 9th APRIL.

That improved and beautifully situated property known as ALLEN GROVE ESTATE in SIXTEEN BLOCKS, areas ranging from 5 to 7 ACRES, fronting Lane Cove-road, Cox's-road, Allen-street, and Government road.
. Nearly half of whole block is an orchard and vineyard, and the residue (unimproved) very suitable for the same purpose.
On one lot stands the commodious homestead.
. This well known Estate is surrounded by the Post and Telegraph Office, Public School, Church of England, and School of Arts.
It is about 1½ mile from the omnibus stand, and 2½ miles from Ryde railway station.
The soil on this property for fruit trees and vines is equal to any in this noted district.
Lithos ready at Rooms. Terms Liberal.
OMNIBUS from Rooms at 1.30 p.m., and from Ryde station at 2 p.m., on day of sale.
Messrs. ELLIS, MAKINSON, and PLUNKETT are Solicitors of the Estate.
The SALE is by ORDER of the ADMINISTRATRIX.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, Auctioneers. (2430)

RYDE DISTRICT.

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.

AMERICAN FARM, in area about 23 ACRES, at NORTH RYDE, opposite portion of the Field of Mars Common, and between the properties of Messrs. Buna and Whitfield.
It is nearly all improved:—
Over 7 acres planted with vines
About 12 acres with orange and fruit trees
Six strawberry-beds.
There is an old COTTAGE of rustic weatherboards and mud, verandah in front, and containing 6 rooms, detached brick kitchen, outbuildings at rear, iron shed.
. A splendid block, in the midst of highly-improved properties.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 22nd April, at 11 o'clock.
The above. Worthy of inspection. (2471)

MARRICKVILLE.
Block of LAND, having 38ft. frontage to Neville-street, by a depth of 150ft. through to Essex-street, being Lot 5 of Neville's Estate. On it is a house of brick.

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 22nd April, at 11 o'clock.
Messrs. Stephen, Jaques, and Stephen, O'Connell-street, are solicitors for the Mortgagees. (2470)

LIVERPOOL.

THE SALE DAY OF THE BERNERA 10-ACRE FARMS is SATURDAY, APRIL 9, AT 3.30 P.M., ON THE GROUND, 2½ MILES FROM LIVERPOOL RAILWAY STATION.

Conveyances will meet at Liverpool trains leaving Sydney at 9.30 a.m., 11.30 a.m., and 1.30 to convey intending purchasers FREE.

Particulars and Plans from Messrs. JONES and JONES, Solicitors, 38 Elizabeth-street, and from SCRIVENER and SON, LIVERPOOL, AND 6 CENTRAL ARCADE, GEORGE-STREET, SYDNEY.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.

Sheriff's Office, Sydney, April 1, 1892.

MASSEY ats. THE CHANT AND PATEMAN'S PATENT EXCAVATOR AND FILLER COMPANY, Limited.

ON TUESDAY, the fifth day of April, 1892, at noon, unless the writ of fieri facias herein be previously satisfied, the SHERIFF will cause to be sold by public auction, at N. P. Nielsen and Co., premises 113 Botany-street, Redfern, where the goods are stored, Three of The Chant and Pateman's Patent Excavators and Fillers.

TERMS, CASH. CHEQUES NOT TAKEN.

CHARLES COWPER, Sheriff.

JOHN SHEPHERD, Plaintiff's Attorney, 158 Pitt-street, Sydney.

WAVERLEY.—Cowper-st. frontages, on ground, 3 p.m. next Sat. Lithos. Terms. R. and W., Ltd.

TRAINS for the SUMMER HILL LAND SALE, next SATURDAY AFTERNOON, leave Sydney 1.35, 2.5, 2.35, 3.5. Money will be made by buyers on Saturday, as the land will go cheap. Fifty lots a few minutes from the station, on the south side. Torrens title, and easy terms, or good discount for cash, and deeds at once. Plans on Wednesday.

HARDIE and GORMAN, Auctioneers.

LAW REPORT.

SUPREME COURT.—MONDAY, APRIL 4.

In Equity.—(*Before his Honor Mr. Justice* OWEN, *Chief Judge in Equity.*)

BATT AND ANOTHER V. ONSLOW AND OTHERS (PART HEARD).

Mr. Pilcher, Q.C., Mr. G. Walker, and Mr. Knox, instructed by Messrs. Stephen, Jaques, and Stephen, appeared for the plaintiffs, Edmund Compton Batt and John Michael Purves; Mr. A. H. Simpson and Mr. Gordon, instructed by Messrs. Norton and Co., for the defendant Elizabeth Onslow; Mr. Lingen and Mr. Langer Owen, instructed by Messrs. Fisher and Ralfe, for the defendants the Hon. James Norton, M.L.C., and George Charles Westgarth; and Mr. Bruce Smith, instructed by Messrs. Fisher and Ralfe, for the defendant Robert Smith.

The plaintiffs sought to recover from the defendants the sum of £12,000, in respect to the purchase of land at Pyrmont. It was alleged that the defendant Robert Smith, acting with his co-partners James Norton and Geo. Chas. Westgarth, solicitors, had received an offer of the sale of the interest in the land from the defendant Elizabeth Onslow for the sum of £8000, but that it was represented to the plaintiffs that not less than £20,000 would be accepted. The plaintiffs purchased at the latter figure. The land was afterwards resumed by the Government, and plaintiffs now sued for the difference between the two amounts. The defence was that the interest finally purchased by the plaintiffs for £20,000 was different to that for which they had offered £8000, and it was alleged that the plaintiffs were well aware of all the facts relating to the matter.

The evidence in reply in this case was resumed.

Edward C. Batt being further examined by Mr. Pilcher said that Saunders might have just started the contract between the 23rd April and the 2nd May, but what he had done was next door to nothing. The contract was for about £12,600, as was shown on the face of the contract itself, but in connection with that the cutting out the stone, levelling, squaring the masonry, and so on cost £15,000 independently of the contract for £12,600. That stone he was obliged to sell, and realised £5000, or a loss of £10,000. If they had gone on with building, the stone which had been cut would have been used for the purpose. If they had seen no use for that stone they might have stopped at a moment's notice. Prior to the making of that contract he had two interviews with Mr. Smith, in which they discussed the advisability of it. It was perhaps a fortnight before, or a month. That was, of course, prior to the date of the arrival of the cablegram, and it had nothing whatever to do with the reversion. They were bound to carry out the contract in order to use the land whether as a leasehold or a freehold. About the same time a joint letter was written by himself and Mr. Smith offering Mr. Yuill a lease of the property for 10 years at £10,000 per annum; that letter was also sent long prior to the arrival of the cablegram "Mrs. Onslow accepts." At the interview which led up to the negotiations with Yuill, nothing whatever was said about the reversion. It was purely treating it as to the manner in which the property should be utilised and had nothing to do with whether it was leasehold or freehold. There was an original proposal of £60,000, and it was modified to £55,000, and the syndicate were to take the reclamations from the Government. It was entirely incorrect that he gave the names of Mr. Keyes, the two Coopers, Mr. Faithful, and Mr. Purves as gentlemen who were associated with him in the matter, and it was also incorrect to say that he asked Mr. Smith to finance the matter. He did not know at the time of the negotiations that Mr. Smith was solicitor for the trustees as well as Mrs. Onslow. He knew he was solicitor for the Macarthur estate. He was not aware that Mr. Smith showed him Mr. King's power of attorney, and read a paragraph from it out to him. Mr. Smith did not tell him that the offer of £8000 was merely a tentative offer in order to obtain Mrs. Onslow's assent to the sale, and nothing whatever was said about the trustees fixing the price if Mrs. Onslow accepted the offer. He never heard of such a thing until this hearing was commenced. The letters of November, 1887, were sent to Mr. King, because Mr. Smith had already consulted him, and had informed him (witness) that Mr. King said he was favourably inclined to the offer. He never heard of the letters that Mrs. Onslow had written until the hearing of this suit for of their contents up to the time of the receipt of the cablegram "Mrs. Onslow accepts." Mr. Smith never told him he had seen Mr. King, and that Mr. King had stated that he had no option but to decline the offer. Nothing whatever to that effect was said to him by Mr. Smith. He never saw the cablegram, nor was he informed as to the contents of it, and nobody ever told him that Mrs. Onslow thought the sum of £8000 was too small. Mr. Smith did not tell him that having consulted Mr. Chisholm and Mr. King, the trustees of Mrs. Onslow's estate, he was now prepared to offer witness the property for £20,000. It was untrue that any cablegram came to witness's office in the words, "Mrs. Onslow accepts." The £20,000 offer was accepted some time prior to his mortgage to Mr. Smith. After some additional evidence had been given in contradiction of Mr. Smith's evidence the further hearing was adjourned until the following day.

In Chambers.—(*Before Mr. Justice* STEPHEN.)

HEMSWORTH V. SUTTOR AND OTHERS.

This was a summons calling upon plaintiff to show cause why his declaration should not be set aside as irregular and bad, and why the defendants should not be at liberty to sign judgment of *non pros* for want of a declaration. The writ of summons set out defendants' names as the owners of certain lands at Cowra, whereas in the declaration they were named as members of the Cowra Agricultural, Pastoral, and Horticultural Association. It was contended that the declaration was irregular and bad, inasmuch as it did not coincide with the writ of summons.

His HONOR said that the declaration was not irregular and bad. It was an ordinary declaration, but the ground upon which it was sought to have it set aside was that it was issued under certain clauses of the Absent Defendants' Act, which dealt with foreign attachment, and that it did not follow the summons. He could not see that the defendants were prejudiced in any way by the declaration. They were no doubt named in the summons as members of an association, but the same liability would attach to them if the names had been there without the addition. Simply calling the defendants members of an association was mere idle and useless verbiage.

The application was dismissed without costs and leave given to amend the declaration, so as to make it consistent with the writ.

EX PARTE WM. HENRY PEARCE.

This was an application by William Henry Pearce, of Liverpool, poundkeeper, to make absolute a rule nisi for a mandamus to compel F. W. Edwards, P.M., of Liverpool, to proceed with and determine a certain complaint or information of W. M. Pearce against C. A. Scrivener, for making a false declaration under the Municipalities Act of 1867. The magistrate in question had declined to hear the case upon the ground that the complainant Pearce had not obtained the leave of a Judge to prosecute. Appellant now contended that no such appeal was necessary.

His HONOR said that if the magistrate had made the slightest reference to the 300th section of the Criminal Law Amendment Act, he would have found that it was not at all a case in which a Judge's order was required. The solicitor, who ought to have known better, chose to insist upon this absolutely groundless objection.

Rule absolute for a mandamus, with costs against respondent Scrivener.

RE HENRY LLOYD WHITTELL.

Mr. Hanbury Davies appeared for Whittell, and moved for a rule nisi calling upon John H. Nisbett, P.M., and other magistrates of Nowra, to show cause why a writ of prohibition should not be issued against them to restrain them from further proceeding against Whittell in a conviction under the Dog Act. It appeared that applicant in the present appeal is a solicitor practising at Nowra, and was with a number of other persons fined for keeping unregistered dogs. The appeal was upon the ground that the magistrates had no jurisdiction, as the Act did not apply to Nowra, but only to Sydney.

The rule was granted, returnable next term.

BARNES AND ANOTHER V. JAMES AND ANOTHER.

This was an application by the plaintiffs to set aside a judgment which had been signed by the defendant, Henry J. James. It appeared that the plaintiffs brought an action for goods sold and delivered against the defendants, Henry J. James and W. T. James, and that according to the affidavits of the plaintiffs the action had been settled by W. T. James for himself and Henry J. James. It was denied by Henry J. James that he owed the plaintiffs any money and that the action had been settled on his behalf. He gave the plaintiffs notice to proceed to trial under s. 91 of the Common Law Procedure Act. The plaintiffs having failed to proceed to trial, he signed judgment against them under that section.

Mr. Noble, instructed by Mr. G. E. H. Sanders, appeared for the applicants; Mr. Lamb, instructed by Messrs. Dibbs and Gibson, appeared for the respondents.

His HONOR, after hearing argument, dismissed the application with costs.

In Bankruptcy.—(*Before the Registrar, Mr.* ARTHUR HENRY.)

CERTIFICATE SUSPENDED.

Re Andrew Wyatt. The Registrar said that the bankrupt entered into business without any capital, gave a bill of sale over all his property to one Russell in order to pay his father-in-law for the business, and afterwards contracted all the debts proved in his estate. He had not produced his principal book of account, which, he said, was merely a pocketbook, and he had failed to file proper accounts. The issue of a certificate would be suspended for 18 months on the grounds that the bankrupt continued to trade after knowing himself to be insolvent, contracted debts without having at the time of contracting them reasonable or probable ground of expectation of being able to pay them, he did not keep proper books, and he had not filed proper accounts.

DECISION RESERVED.

Re George Minor Summerfield, certificate application. The Registrar reserved his decision.

CERTIFICATE APPLICATIONS ADJOURNED.

George Gough (bankrupt to obtain a certificate under the former sequestration), to May 9; Charles Alfred Casson, to April 25; Thomas Bartlett, to April 25; John M'Cutcheon Paul, to May 9; Thomas Graham (bankrupt to furnish certain information respecting the fire by which his goods were destroyed), to April 11; Charles Pope Richards, to April 25.

EXAMINATIONS.

Re John M'Cutcheon Paul. The bankrupt deposed that he had carried on business at Orange as a saddle and harness maker. He left off on the 4th December, 1891. He carried on business up to within two or three days of his sequestration. His liabilities amounted to £5050 1s 3d, and his assets to £3888 6s 6d. The deficiency was gradually accumulating. He had no big losses except a loss in an orchard. Most of his debts were incurred in 1891. He had a meeting of his creditors in Orange in November, he thought. He offered them 3s in the pound. He had a mining account with his brother, to whom he had been indebted on and off for 12 years. As far back as 1889 he dishonoured a number of cheques. On the 1st October, 1890, he gave a mortgage for £250 to his brother, W. H. Paul, and another on the 6th October, 1890, for £250. That was for a previous debt. He gave his brother a promissory note, and the mortgages were given as collateral security. Witness was getting some goods daily from his brother. He got £60 and £20 in cash from him. The rest was for money owing. Pedrotta's mortgage was for £500, and was dated the 11th August, 1890. That was to wipe off another mortgage to someone else. Witness received the £500 less the expenses. The bankrupt was ordered to complete the entries in his statement of affairs and file accounts for 12 months; and the examination was adjourned to the 28th April.

Re Silas George Sheather. The bankrupt, a draper, who had carried on business at Maitland, deposed that the profit he made was about 20 per cent. His solicitor said he was justified in selling at 20s in the pound. He sold to Orchard for 20s in the pound. He sold to Orchard at the invoice value—for £1250, which included interest. Witness's accounts showed a deficiency of £590. The examination was adjourned to the 7th April.

Re James Edward Jones. The bankrupt, who had been a storekeeper at Forbes, was examined under section 30 in relation to a bill of sale which he gave to his brother-in-law, John Wallace. Jones deposed that the liabilities in the estate were for the most part the liabilities of French and witness, who dissolved partnership 12 months ago. The bill of sale was given for cash advances, and a guarantee to Robert Gray, Son, and Co. The examination was adjourned to April 11.

Re James Barclay Black. The bankrupt, a coal dealer, deposed that his bankruptcy was caused by competition, sickness, and the embezzlement of £83 odd by an employe named Milligan.

Re John Wilson. The bankrupt, a warehouseman, deposed that his bankruptcy was caused by sickness and his solicitor, John Shepherd, collecting £1100 belonging to him and sticking to it. He wished to add that as a debt due to his estate.

The under-mentioned bankrupts were also examined:—Alfred James Mayfield, watchmaker; James Moffatt, ironmoulder; Samuel Bridges.

The examination of the under-mentioned bankrupts was adjourned:—George Noble, to the 11th April; J. Newman Ryan, to the 5th April.

SEQUESTRATION ORDERS.

Henry Griffin, of the Boulevarde, Strathfield, painter. Mr. L. T. Lloyd, official assignee.
David Griffiths, of Teralba, coalminer. Mr. E. M. Stephen, official assignee.
John Kelley, of Nyngan, wheelwright. Mr. A. Morris, official assignee.
William Henry Morris, of Bathurst, labourer. Mr. E. M. Stephen, official assignee.
James Willis, of Forbes, labourer. Mr. A. Morris, official assignee.
Joseph Reid, of South Grafton, timber-getter. Mr. A. Morris, official assignee.
William Hutchinson, of Young-street, Redfern, musician. Mr. L. T. Lloyd, official assignee.
Herbert Pierce Morrison, of Kempsey, Macleay River, carpenter. Mr. L. T. Lloyd, official assignee.
Charles Henry Westheider, of Bond's-road, Belmore, labourer. Mr. E. M. Stephen, official assignee.

CREDITORS' PETITIONS.

Halliday Brothers, of Sydney, v. Thomas J. Skrine, of Sydney. Petition to be heard on April 14.
James M'Ewan and Co., Limited, v. R. Knight, of Lismore. Petition to be heard on April 14.
James Maher, William Gracie, and John Neville, of Braidwood, storekeepers, v. W. A. Manton, of Deloraine, near Braidwood, inspector of conditional purchases. Petition to be heard on April 14.

CENTRAL CRIMINAL COURT.

MONDAY.

(*Before his Honor Mr. Acting Justice* HEYDON *and a jury of* 12.)

BIGAMY.

Arthur M'Brien pleaded guilty that he did on the 22nd May, 1885, at Parramatta, marry Annie Julia O'Shea, and that Arthur M'Brien while he was so married did, on the 21st October, 1890, at Goulburn, marry Agnes Turnbull Porter, Annie Julia being then alive. Prisoner was remanded for sentence.

THE AUSTRALIAN MERCANTILE LOAN AND GUARANTEE COMPANY.

William Jones Smith and George Alfred Buck were charged that they, being the manager and auditor respectively of the Australian Mercantile Loan and Guarantee Company, Limited, on divers days and times before the filing of the indictment at Sydney, did amongst themselves and with James Miller and others, conspire falsely and fraudulently to publish and represent to the shareholders of the company that the company and its affairs had been and were in a prosperous and sound condition, with a large capital securely and profitably invested, and that the transactions and operations of the company had from time to time produced certain large profits divisible amongst the shareholders, William Jones Smith and George Alfred Buck well knowing the company and its affairs had been and were in an unsound and unprosperous condition, and that the company had not a large nor any capital securely and profitably invested, and that the transactions and operations of the company from time to time had not produced large or any profits divisible amongst the shareholders—with intent to deceive and defraud such of the shareholders as were not aware of the true state of the company and its affairs, and to induce them to continue to hold shares therein and to purchase other shares, and to become customers and creditors of the company, and to continue to leave the management of the company and its affairs in the hands of William Jones Smith and George Alfred Buck. There were two other charges of conspiracy to defraud in the indictment.

Mr. Coffey and Mr. J. L. Campbell, instructed by the Crown Solicitor, appeared to prosecute on behalf of the Crown; Mr. Ralston, instructed by Messrs. Sly, Hamilton, and Bussell, appeared for Buck; and Mr. Gannon, instructed by Messrs. Burns and Burns, appeared for Smith.

Mr. Coffey, in opening the case, said the two accused were indicted on three charges with conspiring to defraud the shareholders of the company by making public a false balance-sheet. The charge was that the two agreed between themselves, and also perhaps with one person mentioned in the indictment, James Miller, and might be with some others whose names might be brought forward in this case, to deceive and defraud the shareholders and depositors in this company or the general public in making and issuing this false balance-sheet. By issuing the false balance-sheet they disguised and concealed the true position of the company. Supposing the jury came to the conclusion that one of the accused was guilty and the other was not, then whichever one they found guilty they must find he entered into an agreement with Miller or some one else. He would try as far as possible, and he thought with one or two exceptions he would be able to confine the evidence within a period beginning on the 1st July, 1890, and ending some time at the end of July or August, 1891. The balance-sheet he would lay before the jury embraced the transactions of the company from the 1st July, 1890, until the 30th June, 1891. That was the period of time which the balance-sheet appeared and alleged to have covered; but it was not submitted until August, 1891, or about that time. The Australian Mercantile, Loan, and Guarantee Company was formed some time about March, 1888, and it appeared that there were three balance-sheets—the one prepared for the year ending the 30th June, 1889, another for the year ending the 30th June, 1890, and the last balance-sheet for the year ending the 30th June, 1891. The accused G. A. Buck, at the formation of the company, was appointed an auditor of the company, and he had audited the books of the company from the first up to the present time—or rather to the balance-sheet of June, 1891. Along with Buck there was another auditor, Charles Kent; but he did not intend so far as possible to refer to Charles Kent, as since the presentation of the last balance-sheet he had died. Mr. Buck was here to answer for himself. This company carried on its business up to 1890, and up till June, 1890, one Augustus Miller was the general manager of the company. He resigned his position on the 29th July, 1891, and on the 30th July, 1891, the second accused, W. J. Smith, was appointed general manager of the company. At that time no balance-sheet had been prepared for that year. There was a good deal of dissatisfaction as to the state of the company. Two of the directors, Bell and Davis, had previous to the 30th July, 1891, left the colony, and had not been caught yet. A committee of management was appointed, and the accused Smith brought forward a balance-sheet duly certified to by the auditors, and it was presented to the shareholders on the 21st August, 1891. If this had been a case in which Smith, coming in after the 30th June, had simply taken the books and had made an extract from the books showing them as they stood—if he had done that and simply said to the shareholders, "Gentlemen, here are your books, this is what I found in your books, I take no responsibility, I know nothing about them; I make up the balance-sheet from the books as they appear"—if he had done that he might have been out of court altogether, or he might have placed the Crown in a more difficult position than it was to-day. They could not prepare the balance-sheet from the books, but they took the books as they existed when they were handed over to Smith. The books would not produce the balance-sheet as made out. In the books in Smith's handwriting there were entries showing the transfer of items necessarily resulting in the falsifying of the balance-sheet, and making out that the expenditure and working of that company had been carried on at some thousands of pounds less than it actually was. He said that Mr. Buck and Mr. Kent certified to a balance-sheet that was not correct, and he went a step further and said that accused Buck knew that the balance-sheet was wrong and false, that in checking the entries as he certified he did there were entries under his eyes which he knew were false entries, and entries which he should have refused to pass. He knew in passing the entries the balance-sheet disclosed the company to be in a flourishing state, when instead it was in a state of insolvency—it was rotten. At this time when the balance-sheet brought out a profit of £3175 for the year the actual workings for the year showed a loss of over £9000. In the balance-sheet they placed the nominal capital of the company at £500,000, and then they said in that £500,000 there had been subscribed and allotted £140,710 worth of shares. He was not prepared to say whether that was true or false, the share register was in such a state it was impossible to find out. For the purpose of the case he would start with the supposition that the amount subscribed was £140,710. Then they said out of that amount there had been paid up £70,393 15s. Taking the books they showed the amount to be £57,992 as being the total amount of capital issued, yet they showed the capital paid up was £70,000, or a difference of £18,441 between the books and the balance-sheet. The next item on the balance-sheet was debentures, £900. There was no account in any of the Sydney books showing that debentures to the amount of £900 were ever sold, but he gave the accused the benefit of them, as they might have been issued in London. The next item was fixed debentures, £120,707 12s 7d, the amount received from the public, and that, according to the books, was correct. The first item on the assets and expenditure account was a sum by investment and advance, £158,086 3s 3d, and that was what they said was invested and advanced, yet, according to the books a sum of £50,000 was included in that amount, and not a penny of it was ever paid. Next they came to the item freehold property, which was put down at £4780. That agreed with the ledger; but it was very curious that on June 8, 1891, the balance was shown in the books as £4396, but on June 30 the value of the freehold property was increased by £393, and at this time the value of property was decreasing. The next item was bank premises, and that he left as it was. Now he came to the very peculiar account called "Formation and flotation account." That was put down as representing £10,035 4s 8d, and this account first appeared in the balance-sheet three years after the company was formed. The salaries account of the Melbourne branch was reduced by £700, being placed to this peculiar account, and the advertising account, which was something over £5000 for the Melbourne branch, was also transferred to the formation and flotation account. In connection with the Sydney office, £800 of the salaries was transferred to the formation and flotation account. The same thing had taken place in connection with the charges account, which was reduced by £558 8s 2d by this means. The total amount taken out of working expenses during the period of one year was £67,058 8s 2d, and this had been placed to the formation and flotation account. The investment and stock account included £7335 worth of Bell and Davis's cheques. Smith knew previous to the issue of the balance-sheet that Bell and Davis had absconded, and that the cheques were utterly valueless, and yet the sum was allowed to appear. Buck also knew that Bell and Davis had absconded, yet he allowed this item to appear. There was a bonus account, but nothing could be found of it in any book, although the amount set down was £2295. Out of the amount put down as cash in the bank £7335 represented the cheques of Bell and Davis. There were some irregularities shown in the profit and loss account. He might mention one little item to them. Mr. Bartels was appointed one of the committee of management, and he was at the bank when the balance-sheet was being made out. Mr. Bartels took some notes from the books, when Smith snatched the paper he was writing on from his hand and then walked over to Buck and spoke to him.

Augustus Blair, a bookkeeper, who was employed by the company, gave evidence as to alterations and erasures made in the books, and balances altered, but he declined to state positively that the writing was the handwriting of Smith.

The case stands as part heard.

METROPOLITAN QUARTER SESSIONS.

MONDAY.

(*Before his Honor Judge* BACKHOUSE.)

Mr. W. L. Merewether prosecuted on behalf of the Crown.

JURORS FINED.

The following jurors were fined 40s each for non-attendance as jurors:—George Lewis Richardson, butcher, Fountain-street, Manly; and Malachi Gerald Cullen, publican, No. 525 George-street, Sydney.

EMBEZZLEMENT.

Henry Brent, clerk, in the employment of Mort's Dock and Engineering Company, was charged with having embezzled the sum of £27, belonging to the company, on the 4th May, 1891. He was also charged with having embezzled £5 5s on the 3rd June, 1891, and £83 8s 8d on the 26th February, 1892. The prisoner pleaded guilty to all three charges, and was remanded for sentence till Wednesday afternoon.

ASSAULT.

William Martin was charged with having inflicted grievous bodily harm on Constable Ross at Gladesville on the 13th February. The facts, as stated for the prosecution, were that the prisoner was using bad language and offering to fight on the evening of the 13th February, and, upon Constable Ross going to arrest him, he ran away. Subsequently Constable Ross met him and told him that he would get a summons for his conduct. The accused then assaulted the constable, knocked him down, and beat him on the head with a stirrup and stirrup iron, saying, "I swore I would kill you." Constable Ross was taken to the asylum, where he was treated.

The jury found the accused guilty of maliciously inflicting grievous bodily harm, and he was remanded for sentence.

STEALING FROM THE PERSON.

Sarah Coshman was charged that she did at Sydney on the 11th March steal £48 from the person of Walter Fleming. The accused had a drink at the prosecutor's expense at an hotel, and the two then went to a house in Surry Hills, where the prisoner put her hand into Fleming's pocket and took out his purse containing the money. She took the money out and threw the empty purse back to Fleming, then ran away.

The jury found the accused guilty.

A long list of previous convictions was recorded against the prisoner, who was remanded for sentence.

STEALING IN A DWELLING.

Joseph Phillips pleaded not guilty to a charge that he did at Sydney on the 14th March last, in the dwelling-house of William Gannon, steal certain jewellery, the property of William Gannon. On the night of the 14th March Mrs. Gannon, wife of the licensee of Petty's Hotel, was awakened by hearing a noise, and, getting up, saw accused in the house. He attempted to run away, but was caught by the night watchman. The jewellery, which was left on a dressing-table, was found on the accused.

Phillips admitted taking the articles when under the influence of drink.

The jury found the accused guilty, and he was remanded for sentence.

CASES FOR TO-DAY.

Maria Kilcran, false pretences; Abbott George Shelton, embezzlement; John Ramsay and Thomas Smith, attempt to break and enter a shop; William Cleary, assault with intent; Patrick Kinnean, attempted assault; Walter Armstrong, illegally pawning.

LAW NOTICES.

SUPREME COURT.—TUESDAY, APRIL 5.

In Equity.—Before his Honor Mr. Justice Manning: At 10 a.m.: Smith, Macdonald, and Co., Limited, and Companies Act, summons for payment out; Mutual Provident Land, Investment, and Building Society, motion for call; the Land Company of Australasia, Limited, and Companies Act, to sanction arrangement; New South Wales Fishermen's and Fish Consumers' Co-operative Association, Limited, and Companies Act, petition to wind up company; Mason Brothers, Limited, and Companies Act, summons for directions as to costs.

In Equity.—Before his Honor the Chief Judge: At 10 a.m.: Logan v. Stephen, summons for order for commission; Faithfull v. Morris and others, motion for decree. At 11 a.m.: Batt and others v. Onslow, part heard.

Master's Office.—At 9.30 a.m.: Lunacy. At 12.30 p.m.: Eveleen Silver-mining Company, Limited, for directions. At 2 p.m.: Oldrini v. Hildebrandt, to settle conditions of sale; Simmons v. Bussman, to settle minutes of order; Quinn v. Ferris, to settle minutes of order; re Joseph Raphael, deceased, to settle certificate; re will of George James, deceased, to settle minutes of order; Minister for Public Works and claim of R. Davis, to settle draft report and mortgage; British Australian Land and Banking Company, Limited, to settle minutes of order; Gibson v. Crick, to settle minutes of order.

Before the Deputy Registrar.—At 11 a.m.: Hordern v. Hordern, to tax costs; same v. same, to tax costs. At 12 noon: Re James Bellamy, deceased, and Settled Estates Act, to settle minutes of order. At 2 p.m.: Swin v. Chapman, to tax costs. At 2.30 p.m.: Wheal Australia Tin-mining Company, Limited, to tax costs. At 2.45 p.m.: Wheal Victoria Tin-mining Company, Limited, to tax costs.

Prothonotary's Office.—Before the Prothonotary: Re Hooper, 10; re gent., one, &c., 11, all day. Before the Chief Clerk: Briggs v. Corbett, 10.30; Johns v. Sydney Leather and Boot Company, 10.30; Doyle v. Barber, 10.45; Thompson v. Australian Schreerer Company, 10.45; Austral Otis, &c., Company v. Tulloch, 11; M'Ewan and Co. v. Roach, 11.

Probate Jurisdiction.—Before the Registrar: At 11 a.m., to proceed on accounts: In the estate of Jesse Ireland; in the estate of Hephzibah Mason; in the estate of Jacob Foudham.

In Bankruptcy Jurisdiction.—Before Mr. Justice Manning: At 10.30, re Fuller, minutes of order to be spoken to.

Before the Registrar in Bankruptcy.—Certificate Applications: J. E. Teates, A. Cook, A. J. Cook, M. M. Maude, J. Moore, G. J. Chapman, T. Mullins, S. Kitchen, J. P. Bonnar. Single Meetings: G. Everad, E. Constable, H. Watts, W. Benton, R. E. Mawson, W. W. Knowles, D. G. Peels, public examination; T. S. Richardson, examination under section 39. At 2: W. H. Gordon, examination under section 30.

In Bankruptcy.—Before the Chief Clerk: At 2.30, re Kavanagh; at 3, re Silk, taxation of costs.

DISTRICT COURT.—TUESDAY, APRIL 5.
(Before his Honor Judge Wilkinson.)
Harris v. Watson, Vickery and another v. Marshall, Lawn v. Payne and another, Gannon v. Gunning, Daily Telegraph v. Neilly, Basilewski v. Arnicott, same v. Robinson, Moir v. Pickworth, Phill v. Bond, Harrison v. Huxham, Vaughan v. Fifer, Sydney and Suburban Trade Company v. O'Neill, same v. Griffiths, same v. Allen, same v. Coulter, same v. Eserman, same v. Huber, same v. Leves, same v. Cook, same v. Cox, same v. Heffernan.

JUVENILE THIEVES.

In the Water Police Police Court yesterday, before Captain Fisher, S.M., Joseph Birmingham, 12 years of age, was charged with having stolen from the persons of Ernest Baker and Leslie Jones divers small sums of money. The evidence disclosed that about Darlinghurst there is a gang of about a dozen boys, who make a regular practice of frightening children sent from home on messages and of robbing them. On Wednesday last while Baker was proceeding along Victoria-street about 12 boys rushed on him, and Birmingham "went through" his pockets and stole sixpence, while some of the other young thieves were holding him. The next day the same gang set on Leslie Jones in Victoria-street and robbed him of 6d. On Saturday the accused was arrested by Senior-constable M'Kee and Constable Rogers. Captain Fisher thought that a little reformatory treatment would do Birmingham good, and he accordingly sentenced him to three weeks in gaol with separate treatment in each case; in all, six weeks' imprisonment. Another charge against the prisoner was withdrawn. Charles Dean, 12, a member of the same fraternity as Birmingham, was found guilty of having attempted to rob William Davidson. He was fined 10s on his promising the magistrate that he would not take part in any other of the proceedings of the gang.

MEETINGS.

ANGLO-AUSTRALIAN INVESTMENT COMPANY.

A meeting of shareholders in the Anglo-Australian Investment, Finance, and Land Company, Limited, was held yesterday afternoon in the Y.M.C.A. Rooms, to consider the advisability of increasing the capital of the company. The chairman of directors, Mr. Henry Gorman, presided. About 40 shareholders were present.

The CHAIRMAN said it was his duty to offer certain information to the shareholders in respect to the proposition of the directors to increase the capital of the company by £57,962. It was in August, 1891, at the last annual meeting, when he had had the pleasure on behalf of the directors of addressing a few words to the shareholders and calling their attention to the very satisfactory state of the company's position as they had viewed it at that time. He had now nothing to alter in respect to the remarks he made then, for he thought the alterations which had followed during the last few months had been so phenomenal as to be beyond any reasonable anticipation. The real object of calling the shareholders together was to consider the desirability of increasing the capital of the company, so that in the face of these altered circumstances the company might be put in a stronger position than they had ever been in. With that object in view the directors had considered how far they would be justified in asking for that increase of capital. When he last addressed the shareholders in August, 1891, they had deposits amounting to about £210,000. Since that time the deposits had been reduced to £136,000, including the English deposits. Shareholders would notice that there had been very large payments on account of deposits, independent of the large sums paid for completion of contracts and for interest to debenture-holders. They had paid away a very large sum of money, and had it not been for the very satisfactory position of the company as viewed by its bankers they would not have been able to do so. That state of affairs had involved the directors in many nights of anxious consideration as to the best means of restoring confidence and an order of things more in accordance with what reasonable people might expect. They kept their doors open for the payment of deposits till they found that they could do so no longer, and they were forced to call the depositors together to get from them not only a renewal of confidence, but an extension of time for the payment of that reduced sum of £136,000. Anticipating some difficulties, the directors, after the appointment of the board in London, secured a large sum of debenture money for 10 years at 5 per cent. That enabled them to reduce the large amount of deposits they had in the colonies—at one time nearly £340,000—to the amount they had now on deposit, independent altogether of paying for the buildings erected during the last three or four years, and the directors were looking forward to ultimately and gradually paying off the whole of the deposits, borrowing money on the securities they held free, and realising on the securities as facilities presented themselves, thus gradually reducing the business of the company to the safest possible limits. Before the directors could carry out all they had in view they were overtaken by that destruction of confidence which had proved so disastrous both in Sydney and Melbourne, and they had to suspend operations like many similar companies. It was because of their present position—because they had a very large amount of securities representing £360,000, and an overdraft of from £80,000 to £85,000—that they were anxious to pay off as much of the overdraft as they could, in order to borrow advantageously on the securities and sell the properties at a satisfactory price. They had been obliged to borrow from the bank, and had been obliged to ask the depositors to extend the time of repayment of the £136,000 from two to four years, and they now came to the shareholders to ask them to agree to increase the capital of the company, and so avoid any risk of having the company thrown into liquidation, with all the losses arising from forced realisation. If the shareholders, both here and in London, would subscribe the extra capital asked for by the directors the company would be placed beyond any possible risk. If the shareholders refused to do that, then the directors would have to very seriously consider the position, and it would be impossible to prevent any banking institution from taking certain action, after allowing a reasonable time, when an overdraft was so large as theirs. Since the last meeting no movement had been made beyond paying the debts of the company, and the figures were consequently the same, except that by the payment of accounts and money to depositors the indebtedness to the bank had increased. The experience of the last six months had conclusively proved that they had been seeking to do business as borrowers from the public without having the necessary securities such as bankers always offered to depositors, and he did not think there was any likelihood of that experiment being repeated. The business of these companies could be conducted as healthily and profitably to the industrial interests and building trades of the city as any other business, but they must remember that they could not afford to take large sums of money from the public on short dates and lend them at long dates without grave risk. It was impossible to realise their properties profitably at present. They looked to time to enable them to realise advantageously. The properties were steadily improving in value.

In reply to Mr. W. Ritchie, the chairman said the company held £140,000 worth of shares in the Australia Hotel.

Mr. JOSIAH MULLENS asked whether there was no power to give preference to these new shares.

The CHAIRMAN said there was no such power.

Mr. MULLENS said that in that case that was the weak point in the scheme. He would recommend the company to go to Parliament for the necessary power next session.

The CHAIRMAN said the best way would be for the shareholders to assist themselves and the profits would then be theirs.

Mr. W. BAYNES said he did not think they had power to do as they proposed without reconstructing the company. He wanted the directors to enlighten him about the litigation with the Australia Hotel Company. The money they were now asked to subscribe might all go in law costs.

The CHAIRMAN said that a shareholder had commenced an equity suit against the company, the hotel company, and the individual directors. The directors had, therefore, answered his statement of claim, and put in their defence. The directors were responsible, and acting on counsel's opinion, they were going to defend the case. They had done nothing in excess of their powers. That was all he had to say about the litigation. Why any shareholder should begin to worry the directors just now he could not understand. If the proposal to increase the capital was carried, the directors did not intend to use the money subscribed unless three-quarters of the required amount was raised.

In reply to another question the chairman said the directors had no idea of asking the depositors to subscribe to the new issue of capital. The directors would be very glad if the depositors would take shares.

Mr. JOHN KENT said it appeared to him that in a matter of that kind it was wisdom in the shareholders to be led by the directors. The directors knew the circumstances far better than the shareholders. He felt doubtful whether the scheme could be carried out without in some way making the shares preferential. They wanted some guarantee that the money subscribed would not be used unless a considerable proportion of the shareholders subscribed. If only £20,000 was subscribed, and no preference given, it would not be fair to use it for the benefit of other shareholders who had not subscribed. They should decide that none of the money would be used unless, say, £40,000 was subscribed.

The CHAIRMAN said he had already stated that the directors would return the money unless, say, three-quarters of the amount required was subscribed.

Mr. H. J. CORDEN said he would be glad to subscribe, provided good reason was shown that by the subscription of the £50 he would save the £100. There would be very little inducement to subscribe if most of his fellow shareholders did not do the same.

The CHAIRMAN said that in regard to the proposal to go to Parliament for power to make the new shares preferential Parliament was now prorogued, and would not meet again for six months, and meantime something would have to be done. The case would be taken by the shareholders in England from what was done at that meeting. It would be a strong inducement to the shareholders in London to subscribe if those out here agreed to do so. He moved,—"That the capital of the company be increased by £57,962, in £1 shares, having no further liability, and that the amount be paid as follows:—2s on application, 1s on allotment, and the balance by calls not exceeding 1s per share per month as required, being an addition of 50 per cent. to the present paid-up capital."

Mr. RITCHIE seconded the motion, and it was carried, Mr. Mullens being the only dissentient.

On the motion of the chairman the second motion, consisting of amendments in the memorandum and articles of association consequential upon the first resolution, was also agreed to.

The CHAIRMAN proposed the third and final motion as follows:—"That each shareholder be requested to subscribe one share for every two shares of £1 paid up, and five shares for every two shares of £5 paid up."

Mr. KENT moved the addition of the following words to the motion:—"Such newly-subscribed capital to be returned in full if £40,000 is not subscribed within six months."

The amendment was agreed to, and the motion as amended was carried without dissent.

The CHAIRMAN intimated that it would be necessary to hold another meeting of shareholders to confirm the resolutions, after which the meeting terminated.

UNIVERSITY OF SYDNEY.

A meeting of the Senate was held yesterday at University-chambers, Phillip-street. There were present: The Chancellor (the Hon. Sir William Manning), the Vice-chancellor (the Hon. Dr. Renwick), his Honor Judge Backhouse, Professor Butler, Professor Cobbett, the Hon. Peter Faucett, Dr. P. Sydney Jones, Professor Liversidge, the Hon. Mr. Justice Manning, Mr. Alexander Oliver, Mr. F. E. Rogers, Mr. H. C. Russell, Professor Scott, Professor Stuart, Mr. R. Teece, and the Hon. Sir William Windeyer.

The following warrants were signed on the recommendation of the finance committee:—Salaries: On general account, £1177 18s 4d; on Challis account, £618 15s.

The annual election of Vice-chancellor resulted in the unanimous election of the Hon. Arthur Renwick, B.A., M.D., as Vice-chancellor for the ensuing year.

The following standing committees were appointed:—Finance committee: Chancellor, Vice-chancellor, Mr. Russell, and Mr. Teece. Bylaws committee: Chancellor, Vice-chancellor, his Honor Judge Backhouse, Mr. Alexander Oliver, Mr. C. B. Stephen, the Hon. Sir William Windeyer, Professor Cobbett, the Hon. Mr. Justice Manning, the Hon. R. E. O'Connor, and the Hon. E. Barton. Building, grounds, and improvement committee: Chancellor, Vice-chancellor, his Honor Judge Backhouse, the Hon. Peter Faucett, Mr. C. B. Stephen, Professor Liversidge, Professor Stuart, Dr. P. Sydney Jones, and Mr. Russell. University extension lectures committee: Chancellor, Vice-chancellor, Professor Butler, Mr. Oliver, Professor Scott, Professor Anderson, Professor MacCallum, Professor Wood, and Mr. Russell. Museum of normal and morbid anatomy: The Dean of the Faculty of Medicine, the lecturer in pathology, the Challis Professor of anatomy. Organ committee: Chancellor, Vice-chancellor, Mr. C. B. Stephen, and Professor Butler. Calendar committee: Chancellor, Vice-chancellor, Professor Liversidge, and Professor Scott.

A petition was received from the undergraduates attending the evening lectures asking that the library might be opened during the evenings. In connection with the petition the faculty of arts recommended that in the interests of the evening students the petition should, if possible, be granted. It was thereupon resolved that the matter be referred to the library committee to select an assistant librarian for attendance during the evenings.

A letter was received from the Department of Lands notifying that his Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive, had been pleased to approve the appointment of the University as trustees of the land, area seven perches, dedicated the 2nd February, 1892, for approach to the University.

A letter was received from Mr. A. J. Kelynack resigning his office as assistant librarian at the law school from the beginning of Lent Term. The resignation was accepted, and Mr. Alec. Thomson was appointed in his place for a period of one year.

On the recommendation of the Dean of the Faculty of Medicine, the Parliamentary vote of £400 for scientific apparatus for the medical school was apportioned as follows:—Medicine, £50; physiology, £155; anatomy, £75; materia medica, £50; museum of normal and morbid anatomy, £20; medical jurisprudence, £50.

A letter was received from Dr. Wilkinson from London, stating that he was unable to arrive in Sydney until about the 23rd of April, and asking that Dr. G. E. Rennie might be authorised to lecture for him until his arrival. It was resolved that the request be complied with.

It was resolved that the Hon. Peter Faucett should represent the University of Sydney at the Tercentenary celebrations at Dublin University.

It was resolved, on the recommendation of the faculty of arts, that the applications of Mr. E. I. Robson, M.A. (Melbourne), Mrs. Halloran, née Bella Guerin, M.A. (Melbourne), and Miss Louisa M'Donald, M.A. (London), for admission *ad eundem gradum*, be granted.

Reports of the examiners of the faculty of arts and faculty of science, giving the results of the examinations recently held, which have already been published, were adopted.

It was resolved, on the recommendation of the examiners in the faculty of law, that Mr. George Ernest Flannery should be awarded the George Wigram Allen Scholarship.

The following resolution was adopted on the motion of Professor Stuart:—"That bylaw No. 8 (p. 127 Cal.) be amended was to read as follows:—2. In the second year: During Lent and Trinity Terms—Physiology, junior course (including microscopical anatomy); regional anatomy, junior course. During Trinity and Michaelmas Terms—Practical physiology (including histology and experimental physiology). During Michaelmas Term—Organic chemistry; descriptive anatomy, senior course; hospital practice. 3. In the third year: During Lent Term—Practical physiology (physiological chemistry)." The remaining business on the paper was postponed.

PUBLIC WORKS COMMITTEE.

The first meeting of the Parliamentary Standing Committee on Public Works was held yesterday afternoon at the offices in the Colonial Secretary's Department. The members present were: Dr. Garran, Messrs. Hoskins, Humphery, Davies, and Suttor, Ms.L.C.; Messrs. Garrard, O'Sullivan, Collins, Wall, Dawson, M'Court, and Neild, Ms.L.A., and Mr. C. Lyne, secretary.

The secretary read the notice in the *Government Gazette* with reference to the appointment of members.

Mr. Suttor was appointed chairman *pro tem.*

Mr. O'SULLIVAN said that on the last occasion a gentleman representing the Legislative Council was appointed chairman. He thought on this occasion a gentleman from the Legislative Assembly should have the preference. He proposed that Mr. Garrard, who had held the position of vice-chairman to the satisfaction of the committee, be appointed chairman.

Mr. M'COURT seconded, and the motion was agreed to.

Mr. DAVIES proposed that Mr. Suttor be vice-chairman.

Mr. NEILD seconded, and the motion was agreed to.

Mr. GARRARD returned thanks for his appointment. The committee was, he said, one of importance, and any knowledge he had gained upon it and all his ability would be at the service of the committee. They had a large amount of work to get through, but, with the help of the gentlemen present, it would be performed with expedition, and he believed that the result would be in the interests of the public generally.

Mr. SUTTOR also returned thanks for his appointment.

The secretary read an opinion from the Attorney-General, stating that a fresh reference to the committee of all works not finally reported upon would be necessary.

It was resolved that the committee should meet on Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Thursdays, at 2.15 p.m., unless otherwise ordered.

It was decided that the railway from Inverell to Glen Innes should be first inquired into, and that the improvements at Darling Island should be taken afterwards.

The committee adjourned until Wednesday.

POLICE.

Mr. James Giles, D.S.M., presided at the Central Police Court yesterday. James Wilson was sentenced to be imprisoned for three months, with hard labour, for having had a hat in his possession reasonably supposed to have been stolen, and on a second charge of having stolen a gold ring, valued at £4 10s, the property of Thomas Griffin, he was sentenced to six months' imprisonment, the sentences to be concurrent. Jacob Line, a butcher, having assaulted Richard E. Hillier, a publican, in a violent manner, was sentenced to three months' imprisonment. Ernest Steel, 26, was fined £2, in default 21 days' imprisonment, for having assaulted Arthur Davies in Hyde Park. On charges of vagrancy, Alice M'Alister and Rose Thompson, 29, were each sentenced to six months' imprisonment; Mary M'Ginley and Florrie Douglass, 17, were each sentenced to four months' imprisonment, and Emily M'Carthy was sentenced to three months' imprisonment.

Captain Fisher, S.M., dealt with the business in the Charge Division of the Water Police Court, and Mr. B. Lee, S.M., disposed of a number of cases in the Summons Division. Alfred Costello, 29, a labourer, charged with having burglariously entered the dwelling-house of Alfred Palldrum, "Bothwell," 22 Macleay-street, with intent to commit a felony therein, was remanded till Thursday next. Charles Anderson, 21, a labourer, for having maliciously damaged a water-bottle, the property of Richard B. Goff, was fined £2, in default two months' imprisonment. Herbert Willis, 32, a labourer, answered to a charge of having assaulted Richard Robinson. The assault complained of took place on Sunday night in Princes-street, but, as it seemed to be a private quarrel, Captain Fisher imposed a light fine, £1, with the option of 21 days in gaol. Patrick M'Coy, 32, a gunner in the Permanent Artillery, for an unprovoked assault on a civilian named John Chounding, was mulct in the sum of £5, with the alternative of two months in gaol. Sydney Ferguson was charged with having stolen £1, the property of Clement Cassidy. The accused asked for change for £1, and received it from the prosecutor, who, however, did not receive the sovereign. Ferguson was fined £2; in default a month's imprisonment. William Harrison, 38, a barber, was charged with having committed an unlawful assault on one Elizabeth May Buchanan, daughter of Mr. Buchanan, licensee of the Underwood Estate Hotel, Point Piper-road. Mr. Wallace appeared for the prosecutrix, Mr. Parsons appeared for the accused, and Sergeant Blackburn watched the case on behalf of the police. Prosecutrix was 13 years and 8 months old. Accused was committed for trial at the next court of quarter sessions, bail being allowed—himself in £200 and two sureties in £100 each.

In the Newtown Police Court, before Mr. Johnson, S.M., Joseph Cockroft, for cruelty to a horse was fined £2, with the option of 14 days' imprisonment. Charles Hilderbrandt, 34, a labourer, was charged with having inflicted grievous bodily harm upon one James Kent, who is also a labourer. On the 28th ultimo the two men had a quarrel in a house off O'Connell-street, Newtown, and Hilderbrandt, losing his temper, struck Kent about the ribs with a clothes prop. Prosecutor was taken to the Prince Alfred Hospital, where he was found to have sustained a fracture of three ribs. On the 31st ultimo accused was arrested by Sergeant Parkinson and Constable Mason. He was committed for trial at the next Court of Quarter Sessions.

Messrs. F. M. Edwards, P.M., and R. Harper, J.P., disposed of the business at the Parramatta Police Court. Charles O'Hagin, an old Crimean veteran, was charged with being found on the premises of Mr. Thomas Lambert, Wentworth-street, at 3 o'clock on Sunday morning. He stated that he had earned 3s on the previous day, and not wishing to spend it in a public-house for a bed, had sought shelter in the back verandah. He was discharged.

THEFT BY A SERVANT GIRL.

In the Water Police Court yesterday morning, before Captain Fisher, S.M., Jane Morton, 19, a servant of prepossessing appearance, was charged with having stolen a lady's gold watch, one gold chain, one gold ring, one gold necklace, value £30, the property of Chas. Bergoff. On Tuesday last accused suddenly left her place of service, Allison-road, Randwick, where Mr. Bergoff was staying, and the same night the gold watch and chain were missed by Mr. Bergoff, who is a merchant. The next night Ernest Rowell, who was keeping company with the girl, brought the articles back to Mr. Bergoff, and the following morning Jane Morton gave herself up to the police at the Randwick Police Station. Accused was committed for trial at the court of quarter sessions.

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SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.—April 4.

Ballaarat, R.M.S., 4764 tons, Captain E. Ashdown, from London 18th February, Plymouth 19th February, Gibraltar 23rd February, Malta 26th February, Brindisi 28th February, Port Said 3rd March, Suez 4th March, Aden 8th March, Colombo 16th March, Albany 27th March, Adelaide 30th March, Melbourne 2nd April. Passengers—From London: Mr. J. M. Goddard, Mr. Alfred Bayley, Mrs. Alfred Bayley, Mr. H. A. Black, Mrs. Morton, Miss Copley, Miss Elder, Miss Grant, Mr. A. P. Rymer, Mr. Bromley, Miss Hunt, Mr. W. Makant, Miss L. Small, Mr. R. P. Cockerell, Dr. and Mrs. Downes, Mrs. Wigney, Mr. W. M. Hill, Mr. Webster, Miss Webster, Mr. H. Smith, Mrs. Halkett, Mr. Husher. From Plymouth: Lieut. A. H. Marescaux, R.N., Lieut. H. E. P. Cust, R.N., Lieut. H. W. Helby, R.N., Surgeon J. Andrews, R.N., Surgeon E. C. Cridland, R.N. From Brindisi: Mr. C. Williamson. From Colombo: Mr. W. N. Duncan. From Hongkong: Mr. Blakelock. From Bombay: Mrs. Archer, Hon. C. J. Roberts, Mrs. Roberts, Misses Roberts (2), Mr. and Mrs. Goldspink. From Yokohama: Mrs. and Miss Doyle. From Calcutta: Hon. Mr. Justice Tottenham, Mrs. and Miss Tottenham. From Adelaide: Mrs. J. Tait, Miss Flora Tait, Mr. J. Vaughan. From Melbourne: Mr. W. H. Padham, Mr. and Mrs. Raht, Mr. Sinclair, Mr. Thorpe, Mr. C. C. Bell, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold, Mr. F. C. Goyder, Mr. Thos. Giltins, Rev. J. Fordyce, Mr. J. R. Fairfax, Mr. Drummond, Mr. Butler, Mr. W. C. Goddard, Mr. Kingsmill, Mr. Barry, Mrs. Filley, Mr. Brooke, Mr. Armstrong, Mr. D. Smith. G. Douglas Michie, agent.

Wodonga (s.), 2408 tons, Captain Robert Armstrong, from Cooktown March 26, via ports and Brisbane 2nd instant. Passengers—Mrs. A. O. Schmidt and family, Mrs. B. Kippen, Mrs. Holmes, Mrs. M'Cormack, Mrs. W. Whittaker, Mrs. Robinson, Miss Russell, Miss Delaney, Miss Olsen, Miss M'Cormack, Miss Kester, Miss J. Randia, Miss M. Stewart, Miss Scourgall, Messrs. Schmidt, A. Robson, Treglar, Eddy, Lornerman, Appel, J. H. Tyack, Lieutenant Pilleau, F. Taylor, A. Knight, E. Brown, Hennell, J. Forrest, W. Fox, G. S. C. Bryan, W. Baynes, M'Cormack, T. W. Haven, S. Prince, H. J. Ulph, F. Jenkins, W. H. Evans, H. Richards. Through passengers for Melbourne: Mrs. Wiesarthal, Messrs. D. M'Kay, M'Lennan, Jones, M'Laren, Miller, Thompson, Akins, and 80 in the steerage. Burns, Philp, and Co., Limited, agents.

Konoowarra (s.), 1273 tons, Captain William Ellis, from Brisbane 1st instant. Passengers—Mrs. H. A. Francis, Mrs. C. L. Magee and 6 children, Captain J. Foulis, Mr. N. A. Hoffman, and 18 in the steerage. W. Howard Smith and Sons, Limited, agents.

Era (s.), 2378 tons, Captain Thomas Moore, from Geelong 1st instant. W. Howard Smith and Sons, Limited, agents.

Nemesis (s.), 1392 tons, Captain Dudier, from Melbourne, bound to Newcastle, put in short of coal. Huddart, Parker, and Co., Limited, agents.

Ardle (s.), 1245 tons, Captain Charles Taggart, from N.Z. ports, via Bluff Harbour, March 26. John Findlay, agent.

Barrabool (s.), 942 tons, Captain W. H. Laycock, from Port Pirie, via Adelaide and Melbourne 1st instant. Passengers—Mrs. Le Lacy, Mrs. Rigg, Mrs. Slattery, Mrs. Barnes, Mrs. Woods, Mrs. Harrison and child, Miss Gray, Major Milne, Messrs. D. George, J. George, Manson, Montgomery, D. Kilkery, Slattery, F. Carty, W. Whiffen, Kerridge, Tausen, Moriarty, Wilson, and 38 in the steerage; also through passengers for Brisbane. W. Howard Smith and Sons, Limited, agents.

St. Kilda, barquentine, 189 tons, Captain William Robertson, from Kaipara, N.Z., March 27. National Mortgage and Agency Company of New Zealand, Limited, agents.

Aramac (s.), 2170 tons, Captain J. E. Mesburn from Melbourne 2nd instant. Passengers—Mrs. E. Riley and 2 children, Mrs. Christensen and child, Mrs. A. J. Tillett, Mrs. Reese, Mrs. Brady, Mrs. Diedrichsen and child, Mrs. F. Dix, Mrs. Chenall, Mrs. A. Lyell, Mrs. A. W. Pearson and child, Mrs. Rogers child infant and maid, Miss Welsh, Miss Siddley, Miss Bates, Miss Bates, Miss Hoare, Miss Fisher, Miss Jones, Miss Taylor, Miss Barton, Messrs. E. Riley, C. Hastwick, A. F. Smith, W. Livingstone, A. J. Tillett, Herman, M. Carroll, Williams, R. Glade, G. Lister, T. Gillingham, M'Diarmid, T. J. Cashmore, Taylor, C. H. Streeton, R. Robertson, S. H. Lockwood, W. Gill, H. Cross, P. V. M'Culloch, S. Maxwell, E. Boyle, J. M'Murtrie, Diedrichsen, C. Heath, E. V. Blackburne, F. A. Symonds, Hogg, H. W. Beckett, Boyden, A. Belot, A. Lyell, R. S. M'Loughlin, T. Harden, A. A. Hunt, Bowes, and 68 in the steerage. Burns, Philp, and Co., Limited, agents.

Oonah (s.), 1095 tons, Captain W. J. Featherstone, from Hobart 2nd April, via Eden 3rd April. Passengers—Miss Watts, Miss Mansell, Miss Byrne, Miss Ellison, Miss Fisher, Miss Collier, Mrs. Ridge, Mrs. Walter, Mrs. Hinder, Mrs. Moss, Mrs. Walcott, Mrs. Burgoyne, Mrs. Lakeman, Mrs. Lyree, Mrs. Dunn, Mrs. Crombie and family, Mrs. Walkley, Mrs. Langford, Mrs. Cherry, Mrs. Wilson, Messrs. Lyndell, Ridge, Thos. Mather, F. J. Palmer, T. Woodliffe, F. Scott, Walcott, Hammersley, Lakeman, J. Raymond, K. D. Edge, Burns, F. Wyatt, Greaves, Dunn, Rousell, Langford, Lloyd, Buckley, Maxwell, Cherry, Allport, Dr. Hinder, and 31 in the steerage. From Eden: Miss Tier, Miss Mowbray, Mrs. Falkner, Mrs. Tier, Mrs. Fraser, Mrs. Twyford, Mrs. Watson, Messrs. Falkner, R. H. Gee, Keys, Joughan, Walford, St. George, Master Stewart, and 9 in the steerage. F. W. Jackson, agent.

Titus (s.), 760 tons, Captain H. Nicholson, from Warrnambool, Vic., 1st instant. Cornish and Co., agents.

City of Grafton (s.), 825 tons, Captain John Magee, from Grafton April 3. Passengers—Mrs. Brown, Mrs. Henley, Miss Brown, Miss E. Beal, Miss C. Rend, Miss M'Donald, Messrs. H. F. Ward, J. Read, R. J. Inch, H. Reid, W. Reid, P. Emert, W. T. Pullen, A. M'Donald, T. Finlay, S. Brown, L. Bonner, L. H. Diamond, Master Brown, and 22 in the second cabin. North Coast S.N. Company, Limited, agents.

DEPARTURES.—April 4.

Neotsfield, ship, for London.
Drumlanrig, ship, for London.
Hesperus, ship, for London.
Haugesund, ship, for Rotterdam.
Liverpool, four-masted ship, for San Francisco.
C. F. Crocker, four-masted schooner, for Honolulu, via Newcastle.
Antiope, ship, for Iquique, via Newcastle.
W. F. Witzemann, four-masted schooner, for Kaipara.
Adelaide, barquentine, for Thames, via Newcastle.
Belle Isle, barque, for Noumea.
Pearl, ketch, for Strahan, Tasmania.
Manapouri (s.), for Newcastle.
Konoowarra (s.), for Newcastle.
Nemesis (s.), for Newcastle.
Era (s.), for Melbourne, via Newcastle.
Karawera (s.), for Adelaide, via Newcastle.

PROJECTED DEPARTURES.—April 5.

Elingamite (s.), Warrego (s.), for Melbourne; Konoowarra (s.), for Melbourne, Adelaide, and Port Pirie; Barrabool (s.), for Brisbane and Northern ports; Oonah (s.), for Hobart, via Eden; Corinna (s.), for Launceston; City of Grafton (s.), for Clarence River; Namoi (s.), for Newcastle; Coomonderry (s.), for Shoalhaven; Loch Torridon, four-masted ship, for London; Strathdon, barque, for London; Eliza Allen, schooner, for Townsville.

CLEARANCES.—April 4.

Antiope, ship, 1443 tons, Captain John W. Attridge, for Iquique, via Newcastle.

Waitemata, barquentine, 365 tons, Captain Alexander Campbell, for Wellington, via Wollongong, in ballast.

Karaweera (s.), 1477 tons, Captain W. B. Blown, for Adelaide, via Newcastle, with part of original cargo.

Era (s.), 2378 tons, Captain Thomas Moore, for Melbourne, via Newcastle, with part of original cargo.

Ardle (s.), 1243 tons, Captain Charles Taggart, for Auckland, via Newcastle, with part of original cargo.

Hereward, ship, 1513 tons, Captain Robert H. Inglis, for Newcastle, with part of original cargo from Sharpness.

COASTERS OUTWARD.—April 4.

Liffey, for Clarence and Richmond Rivers; Annie and William Brooks, for Newcastle.

IMPORTS.—April 4.

[A special charge is made for consignees' announcements in this column.]

Ballaarat, R.M.S., from London, via ports: 230 cases galvanised iron, 458 boxes tin plates, 1425 bars 269 bundles iron, 122 bars 132 bundles steel, 10 steel plates, 865 iron plates, 24 bundles iron sheets, 31 cases metal sheathing, 36 rods metal, 24 cases sheepshears, 5 packages safes, 156 tubes, 5 cases 252 bundles tubes, 4 cases tinware, 86 rolls sheet lead, 24 casks shot, 7 cases machinery, 54 cases screws, 220 kegs white lead, 6 cases bicycles, 13 cases glass, 121 packages naval stores, 53 cases sheep dip, 7 cases bottles, 6 cases paint, 13 cases electro-plated goods, 5 cases cutlery, 129 packages hardware, 4 cases paper, 31 cases stationery, 128 cases books and periodicals, 6 cases thermometers, 2 cases pianos, 10 cases drugs, 5 boxes candles, 17 cases millboards, 7 cases saddletrees, 12 casks soda crystals, 4 cases brushware, 4 cases floorcloth, 4 packages fig cuttings, 5 cases castor oil, 371 packages drapery, 21 cases cottons, 22 packages woollens, 11 cases waterproof goods, 340 packages boots and shoes, 8 cases haberdashery, 6 packages blankets, 28 cases clothing, 21 cases medicines, 41 cases prunes, 25 cases cheese and plums, 73 cases chocolate, 6 cases hams, 50 cases wine, 60 bags coffee, 87 packages tea, 3 octaves wine, 10 cases desiccated coconnut, 697 packages merchandise and sundries. Also cargo for transhipment to Queensland and New Zealand ports.

Barrabool (s.), from Adelaide and Melbourne: 1190 sacks flour, 16 sacks seed, 1701 bags potatoes, 720 bags onions, 500 bags chaff, 300 bags sugar, 215 bags salt, 80 bundles tubes, 5 casks eggs, 100 pieces timber, 3 trusses leather, 133 cases fruit, 10 cases champagne, 8 cases fireworks, 7 cases lead piping, 12 packages tea, 290 packages sundries, quantity of stage scenery and properties, and 300 tons cargo for Brisbane.

Wodonga (s.), from Cooktown, via ports: 387 bags tin ore, 18 logs (18,654 sup. feet), 1770 bunches bananas, 30 casks tallow, 1600oz. gold, 137 hides, 46 bales wool, 66 fire bars, 220 cases fruit, 127 bags oysters, 9 cases birds, and 50 packages sundries.

Ardle (s.), from New Zealand ports: 6799 sacks oats, 220 sacks wheat, 100 sacks barley, 909 sacks bran, 43 sacks sharps, 47 sacks grass seed, 3 packages ploughs, 9 packages harrows, 14 packages woolpress, 80 doors, and sundries. For Newcastle: 252 sacks bran, 168 sacks sharps, and 248 sacks oats.

St. Kilda, barquentine, from Kaipara, N.Z.: 155,965ft. undressed timber.

Era (s.), from Geelong: 8700 bags chaff, 153 drums oil, 98 bags onions, 66 chests tea, 15 casks oil, 250 sacks flour, 750 bags sugar, 135 bags potatoes, 1 large boiler, 1900 sundry packages.

Oonah (s.), from Hobart: 5500 cases, 1544 half-cases fruit, 150 bags fruit, 198 cases jam, 590 bags bark, 11 bags seed, 100 bags mineral stone, 185 bales hops, 50 cases hops, 1 case machinery, 5 firkins ale, 4 cases emery stones, and quantity of sundries. For transhipment to Brisbane: 644 cases and 70 half-cases fruit. For Newcastle: 34 sheep, 30 cases jam, 2 cases.

Konoowarra (s.), from Brisbane: 121 bundles skins, 42 casks tallow, 20 casks herrings, 30 bags glass, 5 cases tins, 2 packages gold, 8 bags bones, 175 cases meat, 74 cases fruit, 12 bags oysters, 10 cases arrowroot, 50 cases ale, and sundries.

Aramac (s.), from Melbourne: 3018 packages tea, 1138 bags chaff, 1160 bags flour, 488 bags potatoes, 369 cases fruits, 480 rolls wire netting, 40 bundles hoopiron, 50 reels paper, 21 bales paper bags, 16 trunks boots, 53 cases soap, 50 cases insecticide, 50 cases gin, 4 butts 10 hogsheads and 46 quarter-casks colonial wine, 98 drums oil, 30 cases currants, 16 cases elemes, 26 kegs sausage-skins, 22 sacks oatmeal, 10 cases biscuits, 40 sacks rice, 22 cases patent medicine, large quantity sundries, and through cargo for Queensland ports.

Ex Gulf of Bothnia, from Glasgow: 13 packages drapery—Hill and Halls, Grenfell.

EXPORTS.—April 4.

Antiope, ship, for Iquique, via Newcastle: 872 tons Wallsend coal.

Custom-House.—Entered Outward: April 4, Barrabool (s.), 942 tons, Captain W. H. Laycock, for Brisbane; Konoowarra (s.), 1273 tons, Captain W. Ellis, for Melbourne; Era (s.), 2378 tons, Captain T. Moore, for Melbourne, via Newcastle; Warrego (s.), 1552 tons, Captain R. Armstrong, for Melbourne; Aramac (s.), 2170 tons, Captain J. E. Mesburn, for Cooktown, via ports; Ardle (s.), 1243 tons, Captain Charles Taggart, for Auckland, via Newcastle; Manapouri (s.), 1738 tons, Captain E. Wheeler, for Auckland, via Newcastle.

Quite a fleet of sailing vessels detained by the recent heavy weather took their departure yesterday. The ships Hesperus, Drumlanrig, and Neotsfield cleared the Heads at 7.25 a.m., 8.43 a.m., and 10.55 a.m. respectively. The Norwegian ship Haugesund cleared the Heads at 8.25 a.m., bound to Rotterdam. The four-masted ship Liverpool, for San Francisco, and the American four-masted schooner Charles F. Crocker, for Honolulu, via Newcastle, towed out at 9 a.m. The ships Antiope and Nineveh left the harbour last evening, in tow, for Newcastle. The Antiope loads for Iquique, and the Nineveh for San Diego.

Captain J. Magee reports that the steamer City of Grafton crossed the Clarence bar on Sunday at 9.30 a.m., arrived in Sydney on Monday at 2.30 p.m. Cargo: 1622 bags maize, 20 bags bark, 52 bags bones, 38 bags oysters, 85 cases eggs, 2 cases fish, 8 casks tallow, 107 hides, 15 coops poultry, 6 kegs butter, 10 pigs, 250 spokes, 15 pairs w. ducks, and sundries.

The barquentine St. Kilda, from Kaipara, N.Z., timber laden, arrived in Sydney on Saturday night after a quick run across. Captain W. Robertson reports having sailed from Kaipara on March 27, and had fine weather with good easterly winds all the way. The St. Kilda was yesterday berthed at M'Ilwraith's wharf to discharge.

Captain W. H. Laycock reports that the steamer Barrabool, from South Australian ports via Melbourne, left Melbourne on Friday, the 1st instant, at 4.45 p.m., passed Wilson's Promontory on Saturday at 7.25 a.m., Green Cape on Sunday at 8.45 a.m., and reached Sydney Heads on Monday at 10.45 a.m. Strong N.E. to N. gales with high head sea were experienced during the trip. The weather was clear till Sunday night, when thick rainy weather set in, clearing again on morning of arrival.

Captain Robert Armstrong reports that the steamer Wodonga left Cooktown on March 26, calling at all intermediate Queensland ports, and leaving Brisbane on the 2nd instant, passing the Pile Lighthouse at 1 p.m. and clearing Cape Moreton at 4 p.m. same day; entered Sydney Heads at 2.30 a.m. on the 4th instant, berthing at the A. U. S. N. Company's Grafton Wharf soon afterwards. Experienced moderate to fresh N. and N.E. winds, with rainy and squally weather to arrival.

Captain Thomas Moore reports that the steamer Era left Geelong at 4.30 p.m. on April 1, cleared the Heads at 7.30 p.m., rounded Wilson's Promontory at 5.30 a.m. on the 2nd, passed Gabo Island at 2.18 a.m. on the 3rd, and arrived in Sydney at 4 a.m. on the 4th. Experienced strong E.S.E. wind to Wilson's Promontory, thence to Green Cape strong N.E. winds with moderate head sea, and from thence to arrival variable winds with thick drizzling rain.

Captain William Ellis reports that the steamer Konoowarra left Brisbane at 4.15 p.m. on the 1st, cleared the river at 5.40 p.m., rounded Cape Moreton at 8.55 p.m., passed Smoky Cape on the third at 1 p.m., Port Stephens at 10.30 p.m., and entered Sydney Heads on the 4th at 5.20 a.m., reaching the company's wharf at 6 a.m. Experienced heavy S.W. gales, with terrific squalls and mountainous seas, which carried away all the sails and broke everything adrift about the decks. The gale continued till Smoky Cape was reached. From thence to arrival fine weather and light N.E. winds.

Captain J. E. Mesburn reports that the steamer Aramac left Melbourne at 3 p.m. on the 2nd instant, cleared Port Phillip Heads at 6.35 p.m.; rounded Wilson's Promontory at 2.30 a.m. on the 3rd, passed Gabo Island at 5 p.m. same day, and entered Sydney Heads at 1 p.m. on the 4th and berthed at the Grafton Wharf. Experienced moderate N.E. winds to Gabo Island from thence northerly winds to arrival with foggy weather off Wilson's Promontory.

Captain W. J. Featherstone reports that the steamer Oonah left Hobart at 4 a.m. on the 2nd April, Iron Pot abeam at 4.35 a.m., Eddystone light abeam at 7.10 p.m., Barren Island abeam at 10.5 p.m. At 4 p.m. on the 3rd Gabo light abeam, and arrived at Eden at 7.10 p.m. Sailed at 8.30 p.m. At 7.20 a.m. on the 4th Jervis Bay light abeam. Entered the Heads at 3 p.m., arriving at wharf at 3.30 p.m. Experienced strong head wind and lumpy sea to arrival at Eden, thence strong breezes and moderate sea till early this morning, after which had fine weather till arrival, though wind remained strong.

The Port Victor, from London, via Hobart, is due here on the 8th instant, to load for London.

Additional to the list of passengers per ship Hesperus, published yesterday, are Mr. Milford and Mr. Sheppy.

THE MAIL STEAMERS.

The R.M.S. Monowai left San Francisco at 4 p.m. on the 1st instant.

The R.M.S. Orotava is due here on Sunday next from London.

THE BALLAARAT.

It was later than expected when the R.M.S. Ballaarat, of the P. and O. Company's line, entered the Heads from London. This was owing to the thick weather and rain squalls off the port early in the day. She entered at 12.30 p.m., and berthed at the Quay yesterday afternoon. Captain E. Ashdown reports of the voyage:—The Ballaarat left London on the 18th February, and a call was made at Plymouth next day for the naval contingent. The Ballaarat then plunged at once into the thick of a heavy gale from S.E., shifting round eventually to S.W., and accompanied with a high cross sea. This anything but cheerful weather continued across the Bay of Biscay and as far as St. Vincent, where it moderated. Along the Portugal coast the weather was thick and foggy. A call was made at Gibraltar on the 23rd February, and Malta was reached on the 26th February. At Brindisi the Ballaarat received over 1400 bags of mails and a number of overland passengers, with which she left for Port Said on the 28th February. The canal was entered on the 3rd ultimo, and a departure was taken from Suez on the 4th ultimo. The weather during the Red Sea section of the voyage was pleasantly cool, and the register of the thermometer was never above 88deg. Aden was reached on the 8th ultimo, and thence across the Arabian Sea the Ballaarat had E. and N.E. winds and fine weather to Colombo, where the anchor was dropped on the 15th ultimo. Early on the morning of the 16th ultimo the Ballaarat left Colombo for Australia, and had light variable airs and calms with tropical rain and squalls until crossing the equator on the night of the 17th ultimo. On the 19th ultimo the engines were stopped for a little over two hours to rectify a slight difficulty in the working. On the evening of the same date the steamer passed close under the stern of a large four-masted barque, the name of which could not be ascertained. The Ballaarat steamed into the S.E. trades in latitude 12° S., and had fresh breezes, with a high swell, until arrival at Albany at 4 a.m. on the 27th ultimo. Thence a quick and pleasant run was made across the Australian Bight, and the Ballaarat reached Largs Bay shortly after midday on the 30th ultimo. She left Adelaide on Wednesday, the 30th March, at 7.30 p.m., met with fresh S.E. breeze and fine weather to Melbourne, entered the Heads on the 1st April at 7 a.m.; left Sandridge Railway Pier at 1.30 p.m. the 2nd April, fine weather; rounded Wilson's Promontory at 1 a.m. on the 3rd April, and passed Gabo Island at 4 p.m. the same day; fresh N.N.E. wind and heavy rain squalls this morning, the 4th April; entered Heads 12.30 p.m., and berthed alongside Circular Quay at 2 p.m.

THE TARA.

The R.M.S. Tara, of the British-India line (Messrs. Burns, Philp, and Co., Sydney), left London on 2nd February, and anchored at Gravesend that night to take in passengers and immigrants. Left next day, having on board 12 saloon passengers and 152 steerage passengers, and 3942 tons general cargo; reached Naples on the 12th after a fine passage; left on the same date, and arrived at Port Said on the 16th; after coaling proceeded on the voyage, and reached Suez on the next day, and Aden on the 22nd, having experienced comparatively cool weather in the Red Sea; left Aden on the 23rd for Batavia, and on the 6th March, three days before arriving at this port, an infant named Maude Lilian Sims, daughter of one of the immigrants, died of meningitis. After discharging cargo and taking in coal the voyage was continued on the 9th, and Thursday Island was reached on the 18th. Here 185 tons of cargo were discharged, and the Tara left on the same date for Cooktown, arriving there on the 22nd. Having discharged 40 tons of cargo the voyage was continued to Port Douglas, where 20 tons of cargo were discharged. Cairns was reached on the 22nd; 137 tons of cargo were discharged there, and a start was then made for Townsville, which was reached on the 24th. There 770 tons of cargo were discharged, including 10 tons for Bowen. Arrived at Bowen on the 26th, and Mackay on the 27th. After discharging 109 tons of cargo the voyage was continued to Port Alma, which was reached on the same date, and where 240 tons of cargo were discharged. Left next day for White Cliffs (Maryborough), and on the 29th discharged 65 tons of cargo. Left on the same date, and reached the Brisbane bar at 3.30 p.m. on the 30th. The passengers and immigrants were taken to Brisbane that evening by steamer, and the Tara was assisted up the river on the morning of the 31st by the steamer Beaver, and berthed at Parbury, Lamb, and Co.'s wharf. The weather was generally fine, except off Woody Island, where the sea was a little rougher than during the previous part of the voyage. The health of the passengers and crew was good. During the voyage the usual concerts and dramatic entertainments were got up, and altogether the trip was a most enjoyable one.

LABOUR VESSELS.—STATISTICAL RETURN.

A return has been published by the Queensland Government showing the Pacific island labour traffic for 1891. The report states that the number of vessels engaged in the trade was 15, owned in Brisbane, Maryborough, Bundaberg, Mackay, and Townsville. These ships were only able to make one voyage, and brought to the colony 1050 labourers—950 males and 100 females—the great majority of whom were obtained from the New Hebrides and Solomon groups. The time occupied by the voyages was from 119 to 225 days, the average being 173 days, as against the ordinary voyage of 120 days. The daily average enlistment of each vessel for the voyage was as follows:—Four ships working New Hebrides obtained '86 recruit, five working Solomons '55, and six working both groups '41. Recruiting was accomplished with very little opposition from the natives. The various Government agents reported that at six different times the natives discharged their firearms whilst recruiting was being carried on. In five cases there appeared to have been no malicious intent, but merely a desire to frighten the occupants of the boat, and no harm was done; the sixth time, however, the natives fired on the boats intending to inflict injury, their action resulting in one European and two native boatmen receiving gunshot wounds, from which, by the aid of medical treatment, they afterwards recovered. The total number of islanders who were returned to the islands during the year was 976—909 males and 67 females. The death reports showed an increase of 66 more deaths than in the previous year. Out of this number, two-thirds of the islanders died from dysentery, which prevailed on one of the plantations during the early part of the year. The dysentery was contracted by the islanders (mostly new arrivals) disobediently drinking water used for the mill, which they had been repeatedly cautioned not to take. Medical assistance was called in, and every care taken of those islanders who were ill. The deaths reported to the department for the past five years were as follows:—In 1887, 520; in 1888, 482; in 1889, 481; in 1890, 417; in 1891, 483. It was impossible to give the exact number of islanders within the colony, some of them being of a roving disposition, and travelling beyond the range of the inspectors. From the statistics compiled by the inspectors, the numbers were given as 8627, a decrease as compared with the previous year of 735. There was £19,264 7s 4d in the Government Savings Bank to the credit of 3435 islanders. The hospitals having been closed as at 31st December, 1890, the indebtedness, therefore, of these institutions to the fund during the year amounted only to £303 17s 10d, and was caused by wages to caretakers, and a few outstanding vouchers which were not received in time to be taken into last year's statement. The Mackay Hospital buildings had now been handed over to the Education Department, the Geraldton building to the general hospital committee, and the Maryborough and Ingham buildings still belong to this department.

NEW ZEALAND SHIPPING.

The R.M.S. Tongariro, from London, and the barque Howden, from Kobe, Japan, arrived at Lyttelton prior to 1st April. The ship Timaru arrived at Auckland on the 25th March from London. The brigantine Aratapu, from Newcastle, arrived at Napier on the 25th March. The Pendle Hill arrived at Napier from Newcastle prior to the 1st April. The barque Girvan, Captain Angus, left Wellington on the 25th March for London. The barque Samoa, bound for the English Channel, sailed from Lyttelton prior to the 31st March. The barque Wenona, for Sydney, and the barquentine Hands Isle, for Melbourne, left Kaipara prior to the 31st March. The brigantine Eillan Donan is loading timber at Kaipara for Adelaide. The schooner Welcome loads a cargo of flour at Auckland for Brisbane, and will return thence with bonedust. The brigantine Zeno, recently purchased by Captain T. A. Fry (formerly of the Silver Cloud), will be put into the timber trade between New Zealand and Australia. The Zeno, it will be remembered, came out from London to Newcastle in ballast. She was built at Pictou, Nova Scotia, 18 years ago. The new pearling ketch, Dot, built by Mr. Barbour at Kaipara, sailed thence on the 28th March for Thursday Island.

TELEGRAPHIC SHIPPING NEWS.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENTS.)

Brisbane.—Peregrine (s.), left Keppel Bay for Melbourne. Burwah (s.), arrived at Rockhampton from Brisbane. Duckenfield (s.), left Townsville for Newcastle; Cintra (s.), left Townsville for Melbourne. Glanworth (s.), left Cooktown for Townsville.

Newcastle.—Arrivals: April 4, Federal (s.), from Melbourne; Horsa, ship, from Port Pirie; Benjamin Bangs, ship, from Adelaide; Sarah Beattie, schooner, from Cape Hawke; Saxonia (s.), Konoowarra (s.), Manapouri (s.), Nemesis (s.), from Sydney. Departures: April 4, Sumatra, barque, for Honolulu, with 1156 tons coal; Imperial, ship, for Manilla, with 1605 tons coal; Emu (s.), for Kingston; Illaroo (s.), for Catherine Hill Bay; Balmain (s.), Saxonia (s.), Namoi (s.), Corinna (s.), Bound To Win, schooner, for Sydney.

Gabo Island.—Passed: April 4, Norkoowa (s.) at 8.15 a.m., north.

Melbourne.—Arrivals: April 4, Kaiser Wilhelm II., from Bremen; Australien (s.), from Marseilles; Australia, barque, from Frederickstadt; Leura (s.), Innamincka (s.), Barcoo (s.), from Sydney; Adelaide (s.), from Adelaide; Cloncurry (s.) and Easby (s.), from Newcastle. Departures; April 4, Rotomahana (s.), Coogee (s.), for Launceston; Chemnitz (s.), for Sydney.

Adelaide.—Arrivals: April 4, Rachael Cohen, schooner, from Hobart; Prospero, barque, from Southport; Halvai, from Glasgow; R.M.S. Orient, from Sydney; Raull, from Liverpool. Departure: April 4, Hanover. Buninyong (s.) leaving for Port Adelaide.

Cape Borda.—10.40 p.m.: The R.M.S. Orotava passing inwards.

(FROM THE BOARD AT TELEGRAPH OFFICE.)

Clarence Heads.—Departure: April 3, City of Grafton (s.), at 9.15 a.m., for Sydney. Wyrallah (s.), still barbound. Passed: April 3, Coraki (s.), 12.30 p.m., south.

Nambucca Heads.—April 4, Wellington (s.), Ruby, schooner, and Sea Nymph, ketch, still barbound. Fresh running out.

Trial Bay.—Departures: April 4, Grecian Bend (barquentine) and seven other vessels left the bay.

Smoky Cape.—Passed: April 4, Grecian Bend, barquentine, at 10 a.m., south.

Macleay Heads.—Arrived: April 4, Fancy Dunn, schooner, and a schooner like Victoria off the Heads unable to enter; Victoria, schooner, crossed in at 2.30 p.m. and grounded on the South Spit.

Port Macquarie.—April 4, Rosedale (s.) barbound. Strong fresh running out: Mabel White, schooner, crossed in at 2.30 p.m. Passed: April 4, Chingtu (s.), at 7 a.m., north.

Camden Haven Heads.—Arrival: April 4, Julia, schooner, at 3 p.m., from Sydney.

Manning River.—Arrival: April 4, Hilda, ketch, grounded on the South Spit while attempting to cross in. She is in no immediate danger. Strong fresh running out.

Cape Hawke.—April 4, Alfred Fenning, Annie, Favourite, Petrel, Shannon, and Stanley, barbound.

Port Stephens.—Departures: April 4, Amy Moir, Jane, and Sarah Beattie left Nelson's Bay at 7.30 a.m.

Catherine Hill Bay.—Arrival: April 4, Illaroo (s.) at 6 a.m., from Newcastle. Departure: April 4, Illaroo (s.) at 2.30 p.m., for Sydney.

Barranjoey.—Departure: April 4, Kingsley (s.), at 6 p.m., for Sydney.

Bellambi.—Arrival: April 4, Franklin (s.) at 7 a.m., from Sydney.

Wollongong.—Arrivals: April 4, Palmerston (s.), and Lochiel, schooner, at 9.30 a.m., from Sydney; Illawarra (s.) at 2 p.m., from Kiama. Departure: April 3, Silver Cloud, barquentine, for Auckland. Passed: April 4, Bega (s.) at 11.45 a.m., north.

Kiama.—Arrivals: April 4, Bega (s.) at 8.15 a.m., from Green Cape; Resolute (s.) at 6 a.m., from Sydney; Illawarra (s.) at 7.30 a.m., from Shoalhaven. Departures: April 4, Bega (s.) at 10 a.m., bound north; Tottie, schooner, at 7 a.m., for Bateman's Bay; Lass o' Gowrie (s.) at 10 a.m., for Sydney; Illawarra (s.) at noon, Resolute (s.) at 2 p.m., all for Sydney.

Crookhaven Heads.—Departure: April 4, Illawarra (s.) at 6.15 a.m., for Sydney.

Bateman's Bay.—Arrivals: April 3, Kiama (s.) and Peterborough (s.) at noon, for Sydney. Departure: April 4, Kiama (s.) at 12.30 p.m., for Moruya; Peterborough (s.) at 2 p.m., for Sydney.

Moruya Heads.—April 4, Muruna, ketch, unable to cross out, not sufficient water on the crossing. Kiama (s.) arrived from Sydney at 2.30 p.m.

Eden.—Arrivals: April 3, Kameruka (s.) at 7 p.m., from Sydney; Oonah (s.) at 7 p.m., from Hobart. Departure: April 3, Oonah (s.) at 8.30 p.m., for Sydney.

Green Cape.—Passed: April 4, a large ship, at 10.35 a.m., south; Noorkoowa (s.) at 11.40 a.m., north.

Gabo Island.—Arrival: April 3, Star of Mallagoota, ketch, at 2.30 p.m., from Eden. Passed: April 4, Industry (s.) at 7.30 a.m., west.

Semaphore (S.A.).—Arrival: April 4, Orient, R.M.S., at 9 a.m., from Melbourne.

Fremantle (W.A.).—Arrival: April 3, Lough Neagh, ship, from Newport. Departure: April 3, Heather Bell, barque, for Newcastle.

Hobart.—Arrival: April 4, Arcadia, R.M.S., at 10.30 a.m., from Sydney.

THE MAILS.

THIS DAY.

Melbourne, 4.15 and 7 p.m.
Adelaide, 4 p.m.
Hobart and Launceston, 4 p.m.
Queensland, 4.45 p.m.
Western Australia (Monday, via Adelaide).
Thursday Island, Port Darwin, Hongkong, and Japan, 9 a.m.
Singapore, Batavia, and Penang, 9 a.m.
Launceston and Hobart, 10 a.m.
Macleay River, 2 p.m.
Clarence River, 9 p.m.

WEDNESDAY.

Ulladulla, Merimbula, and Eden, 11 a.m.

THURSDAY.

Auckland and all N.Z. Ports, 4 p.m.
Tonga and Samoa, 4 p.m.

FRIDAY.

Ulladulla and Clyde, 8 a.m.

MONDAY.

India and Continent of Europe, overland to Adelaide, and thence per P. and O. Company's steamer Arcadia, 2.30 p.m.

United Kingdom, overland to Adelaide, and thence per P. and O. Company's steamer Arcadia, 3 p.m.

ABSTRACT OF SALES BY AUCTION THIS DAY.

C. F. W. LLOYD and CO.—At 32 Hunter-street, at 11, Right, Title, and Interest in Shops, Park-street; Tin-mining Companies, &c.

THE SHERIFF.—At Botany-street, Redfern, at 12, Patent Excavators and Fillers.

FRASER and CO.—At the City Mart, at 10.45, Flour, Hops, &c.; at 11, Machinery, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN.—At their Mart, at 11, Bacon, Sugars, Groceries, Oilmen's Stores, Champagne, &c.; at 2.30, Furniture, Mirrors, &c.

DAVIS, MARKS, and CO.—At their Rooms, at 11, Furniture, Beer Engines, Overmantels, Looking-glasses, &c., Carpets, &c.

H. KELLETT and CO.—At their Rooms, at 11, Drapery, Clothing, &c.

NEWTON and LAMB.—At Craigend-street, Darlinghurst, at 11, Furniture, Piano, Books, &c.

BARNARD and CO.—At Dunrobin, Edgecliffe-road, Woollahra, at 11, Furniture, Pianoforte, &c.

W. INGLIS and SON.—At Bazaar, at 10.30 and 12, Horses, &c.; at Camperdown Yards, at 2.30, Horses; at Corporation Yards, at 11, Pigs.

G. KISS.—At Bazaar, at 11 and 12, Horses, &c.

H. M'NAMARA.—At Hay-street, at 12, Beef, &c.

J. P. LISTER.—At his Rooms, at 11, 2, and 3, Unredeemed Pledges; at 70 Hunter-street, at 10.30, Furniture, Iron Safe, &c.

HARRISON, JONES, and DEVLIN.—At their Stores, at 10.30, Leather; at Woolbrokers'-chambers, at 11.30, Sheepskins; at 2.15, Skins.

H. DUFF and CO.—At 109 Pitt-street, at 11.30, Furniture, Crockery, Carpets, &c.

PITT, SON, and BADGERY.—At Corporation Yards, at 11, Pigs.

J. BRIDGE and CO.—At Woolbrokers' Chambers, Skins.

GOLDSBROUGH, MORT, and CO.—At their Warehouse, at 11, Leather, Skins.

J. C. YOUNG and CO.—At City Yards, at 11, Pigs.

BATT, RODD, and PURVES.—At 88 Pitt-street, at 12, Shares.

STRONGMAN and CO.—At the Stationery and Fancy Goods Repository, Burwood-road, at 11, Fancy Goods, Stationery, Books, &c.

F. L. BARKER and CO.—At their Rooms, at 9.30, Skins.

DUNN and WEBB.—At the Rooms, at 2, Furniture, &c.

W. CRANE.—At Bay-street, Glebe, at 10.30, Furniture, &c.

E. GIBBES and CO.—At Rush-street, Paddington, at 2, Furniture, &c.

S. PROCTER.—At Newtown, at 7, Wood, &c.; at Darling Harbour, at 8.30, Wood, &c.; at Mart, at 5, Poultry, &c.

T. P. LISTER.—At 152 Pitt-street, at 11, Clothing, Jewellery, &c.; at 12, Furniture, Pianofortes, Stationery, &c.

STANTON and SON.—At Charlotte-street, Ashfield, at 11, Furniture, &c.

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Paid-up Capital ...		
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Reserve Liability of Proprietors ...	850,000	0 0
Total Capital and Reserves ...	£1,128,901	0 0

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A BRANCH of this Bank is NOW OPEN at the corner of Castlereagh and Park streets for the transaction of all usual banking business.
By order of the Board,
C. STANTON,
General Manager.
Sydney, March 24, 1892.

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COUNTRY STOREKEEPERS, TOBACCONISTS, and HAIRDRESSERS visiting Sydney for the Easter Holidays, before purchasing elsewhere call and inspect my NEW SHOWROOMS, brimful of the LATEST AMERICAN and EUROPEAN NOVELTIES.
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TO NEWSPAPER PROPRIETORS, PUBLISHERS, and OTHERS.
The proprietors of the Sydney Mail have for disposal at specially cheap rates, a large number of ELECTROTYPES AND ENGRAVINGS, all very beautiful subjects in Art, Landscape, &c., by some of the first artists in the world.
These would be found specially suitable for Christmas publications, books, almanacs, &c.

Special Advertisements.

DR. R. FAIRFAX READING has REMOVED to 151 Macquarie-street.

MR. EDWARD READING, Dentist, begs to notify to his Clients that his Son, Mr. PHILIP B. READING, L.D.S., Eng., has commenced PRACTICE, in conjunction with himself, at his Rooms, 197 Elizabeth-street. April 4.

MR. PHILIP B. READING, L.D.S., Eng., has commenced PRACTICE as Dental Surgeon at 197 Elizabeth-street, Hyde Park.

"IN THE DAYS OF THE MUTINY."
A STORY OF LOVE, WAR, AND ADVENTURE.
By G. A. Henty, author of "The Curse of Carne's Hold," "A Hidden Foe," &c.

The terrible scenes of the great Indian mutiny have more than once supplied material for thrilling stories, but perhaps no more sensational or interesting account of that great historical event has been furnished than that contained in Mr. G. A. Henty's tale, "In the Days of the Mutiny," a story of love, war, and adventure. The scene of the story is laid in the neighbourhood of Cawnpore, the stronghold of the great arch-rebel, Nana Sahib. It was there that the most tragic event, perhaps, of the whole mutiny took place. And it was just because of the treachery of the Rajah—who promised safe conduct to the garrison if it surrendered, and then massacred the men, and imprisoned the women and children—that there was no one to rescue when the British returned to power. At Lucknow there were many to be rescued; at Cawnpore none, as Nana, when he heard that the British troops were coming, had all the women and children slaughtered, and thrown into a well. The story relates the adventures of one lady who was shut up in the prison with the rest, but who made her escape before the massacre, and with a few friends travelled through the country disguised as an Indian. The story is in some respects a sad one, but there are many bright spots in it, as might be expected from the author of "The Curse of Carne's Hold," "A Hidden Foe," &c. One of the characters, Ralph Bathurst, is a curious psychical study, while some of the others are remarkably well drawn. The narrative of the Indian juggler and his daughter is a wonderful one, and fits into the main story charmingly. "In the Days of the Mutiny" will be begun in the Sydney Echo of Saturday, 9th April, and everybody should read it.

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QUEENSLAND
The Proprietors of
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in view of the large and growing circulation of that journal in Queensland, have determined not to charge their subscribers with the postage rates recently imposed by the Queensland Government.
THE SYDNEY MAIL will therefore be delivered to subscribers in all parts of Queensland at the same price as was charged before the imposition of the postage rate, viz., 6s 6d per quarter, or 26s per annum, paid in advance.

AGENTS' RATES WILL REMAIN AS BEFORE.

The Sydney Morning Herald.

TUESDAY, APRIL 5, 1892.

Buenos Ayres, the capital of the Argentine Republic, has been proclaimed to be in a state of siege, in consequence of the discovery of a plot to bring about a revolution, and the means adopted to defeat the conspirators. The army and navy are loyal.

A plot to overthrow the Bulgarian Government has been discovered at Odessa. It has ramifications in Belgrade, Constantinople, and other cities.

The British in West Africa are raising a force of 3000 native troops to be permanently maintained in that region.

A disastrous explosion took place yesterday at the works of the Australian Explosives and Chemical Company at Deer Park, 10 miles from Melbourne. Two men were killed instantly, and two others were seriously injured.

A clandestine dynamite factory has been discovered near Paris.

Being in immediate need of more reduction plant the Broken Hill Proprietary Company has offered to buy all the British Company's smelters at Port Pirie.

The South Australian Railway Commissioners have asked their Government to notify the Government of New South Wales that the present drain on the Mingary Reservoir in supplying Broken Hill cannot last for more than two weeks.

On Sunday evening the mutilated body of a man was found on the southern beach near the Bellinger Heads.

An important development has been decided upon by the directors of the Proprietary Mine, whereby £40,000 worth of timber will be recovered and 400,000 tons of ore extracted.

The R.M.S. Ballaarat, which arrived from London yesterday, brought a contingent of 220 seamen and marines for her Majesty's war cruisers on the Australian station.

No practical result is likely to come out of Professor Schnabel's recommendations as to the treatment of the Barrier sulphide ores.

At the Central Criminal Court yesterday the trial of William James Smith and George Alfred Buck, for alleged conspiracy to defraud the Australian Mercantile Loan and Guarantee Company, was commenced. It will be continued to-day.

The drop in silver affects £350,000 worth of silver afloat and unsold, belonging to the Proprietary Mine, and if a further fall is experienced it may not be possible to maintain dividends.

Acting-gaoler Gall, of Murrurundi, has been discharged from the force in connection with the escape from gaol of a prisoner named Bridge.

At a meeting of shareholders in the Anglo-Australian Investment, Finance, and Land Company, Limited, held yesterday, it was decided to increase the capital by £57,562 in £1 shares. Each shareholder will be asked to subscribe one share for every two shares of £1 paid up and five shares for every two shares of £9 paid up.

Heavy losses have been entailed upon the farmers of the Grafton district by the flood, this being, to many of them, the third crop ruined by floods within five years.

At Narrandera everything is at a standstill for the want of rain. Stock are perishing in large numbers, and it is impossible to gather in the crops till the rain comes.

In the Crookwell district rain is greatly needed. The grass has altogether disappeared, and the prospects for stock are gloomy.

At Kempsey the flood is abating. Yesterday a number of boats were out over the Frederickton-road and the farms on either side of it.

In consequence of the flood at Lismore many people residing in low-lying localities left their homes on Sunday and occupied the courthouse, there being no room for them at the hotels. The current round the A.J.S. Bank ran like a mill race, and the water was 20in. above the floor of the post and telegraph office.

On Saturday the schooner Mary Lauris was driven ashore 16 miles south of the Clarence Heads. She lies out of danger, and is not much injured.

The flood on the Clarence River reached its height yesterday morning. At Lawrence the water entered several houses.

At Adelong the weather is exceedingly dry, and the outlook is becoming very serious. On the common stock are dying freely.

The decadence of tin-mining at Tingha is noted in our mining telegram to-day. Some rich patches are, however, struck, for Cooper Brothers have extracted 30 tons of tin in three years.

Elsewhere is published a compilation of the census returns, in which Mr. Coghlan shows the population of the electorates of the colony.

This morning Lord and Lady Jersey, accompanied by Lady Galloway, will leave Sydney for Bathurst, where Lady Jersey will open the agricultural show.

The Royal Commission to inquire into the allegations concerning the effectiveness of the recently-imported Baldwin engines has been appointed. It consists of Mr. F. E. Rogers, Q.C., Professor Warren, and Mr. Alexander Brown.

At a meeting of the University Senate held yesterday, the Hon. Dr. Renwick was unanimously elected Vice-Chancellor for the ensuing year.

A lad named Thomas Lawton was killed near Toowoomba on Sunday by the accidental discharge of a gun which was being handled by his brother.

The export of sugar from Queensland during the month of March was 176 tons, making a total of 31,734 tons since the opening of the season.

The Hon. Peter Faucett will represent the University of Sydney at the Tercentenary celebrations at the Dublin University.

There are upon the revised electoral rolls for the approaching general elections of Victoria 278,253 names. By the operation of the Purification of Rolls Act 11,776 names have been struck off.

The Victorian Minister for Railways intends to increase the grain freight from Nhill to the South Australian border by 200 per cent.

Robert Daniels, who escaped from the Perth Hospital while delirious with typhoid fever, has been found drowned in the river at Perth.

The Customs receipts yesterday amounted to £12,116. Towards this the 10 per cent. ad valorem duty contributed £2058, and the 15 per cent. £124.

As our readers are aware, the first session of the fifteenth Parliament of New South Wales was closed by prorogation on Friday last. But that means that the session properly belonging to the year 1891 did not terminate until after three months of the year 1892 had passed away. This again implies that only nine months of the present year remain, which suggests the following question:—If the clear twelve months of 1891 were found insufficient for the business of that year, is there any good ground for expecting that the nine months now remaining of 1892 will be sufficient for the transaction of this year's business? Of course it is to be admitted that last year saw a dissolution, a general election, and a change of Ministry. But, making due allowance for those disturbing influences, we have still to ask, what prospect is there of getting through in nine months, the rest and recreation, the scheming and preparation, the talk and work in Parliament, that have just in the sight of the country spread themselves out over fifteen? Deducting from the fifteen every day that can reasonably be allowed for the general election and the change of Ministry, and assuming, for the sake of argument, that no equivalent disturbances will interfere with the smooth progress of events during the present year, the difference between nine and fifteen is so great as to make it almost certain that the business of this year will be driven over into next year unless special arrangements be made to provide against the evil, and there be something like a dead heave to carry them into effect. The Government abandoned the idea of holding a special session, because it was obvious that to act upon it would throw the business of the year into confusion. But something more than this negative resolution is necessary. If the work of the year is to be finished within the year, it will be requisite both to shut the door as firmly against impracticable projects as against the special session, and also to lay before Parliament a moderate but well-considered programme before many months have passed.

Nothing is more certain than that with sessions opening late in the year, and anything in the nature of looseness or hesitancy in the conduct of affairs in Parliament, the tendency is to carry forward the business of each year into its successor, and thus to perpetuate the evils which that irregular and discreditable mode of procedure involves. This is not a matter of mere theory, but one of painful experience. From the introduction of responsible government until now that tendency has been dominant, and only in a very few exceptional instances has Parliament been able to escape from its influence and to complete the year's financial business before the close of the year. And even in these cases, while the excellence of the intention is to be acknowledged, the manner in which it was carried out cannot always be commended. The work was disposed of rapidly by shelving it, because time was not allowed for dealing with it in a considerate way. The first session of the first Parliament began in May, 1856, and did not close until after the middle of March, 1857. This was a bad beginning; and if it be said that the men of those days were inexperienced and unsystematic in their work, the years that have followed have developed a settled habit of irregularity, instead of introducing better ways. Including the last session, 49 in all have been held; and with only three exceptions has a session opening after June been closed within the year. A session opened July 24, 1866, and closed in December of the same year; another opened in July, 1881, and closed in the following December; and a session opened on the 19th November, 1884, and closed on the 27th of the same month. In this last case the effort was made to bring into order the financial business after the Land Act session, which had lasted from the 9th October, 1883, to the 1st November, 1884. There were two short special sessions in 1883 and 1885—the one to legalise the running of locomotives on the tramways, which a Supreme Court judgment had condemned, and the other to indemnify the Government for exceeding its powers in the case of the Soudan expedition. These cases, however, do not affect the rule; and it is only necessary to glance down the official record in the Blue Book to see that as night follows day, and summer spring, so the thrusting over of the business of one year into the next has been followed by a late opening of the next session, and when the session opens late the end of the year comes round before the year's work is done. Thus the irregularity perpetuates itself, and amidst the financial confusion it creates there is the further confusion of cause with effect, and the destruction of any real sense of responsibility for the troubles and losses and dissatisfaction that ensue.

Seldom do we see greater inconsistency than that which stands out so conspicuously between the high value set by the Assembly upon its alleged exclusive possession of what is called the power of the purse, and the fast-and-loose manner in which that body has been content to exercise it. The theory is intelligible; but so much can hardly be said of the practice. To claim the control of the public expenditure, and at the same time to tolerate a system under which the public service is carried on month after month without detailed examination of the cost, and to wind up these proceedings by finally sanctioning the outlay in the full knowledge that the money has already been spent, is to bring a venerable tradition into contempt, or at least into disrepute. It is held to be necessary, as a means of upholding the principle of Parliamentary responsibility and keeping the Executive well in check, that the consideration of the Estimates should be deferred until a late stage of the session, and the Appropriation Bill should be passed at its close. The fact is, that this particular method of dealing with the financial business might have been specially designed for the purpose of making sure that it should be treated in a more or less perfunctory and deceptive manner. If any part of the business of a session should undergo deliberate and careful treatment it is the financial business, and yet the practice is to confine the opportunity for the consideration of it to one House, and then crowd it up within that House into the closing days of the session, when it is liable to be treated in an inconsiderate way.

Those who claim to have introduced a new era of pure, systematic, and firm government may well be urged to prove their claims by bringing about substantial reforms in this matter. There will be no reason for such reform, and no chance of it, if several months are allowed to pass before the opening of the new session, and Parliament is then asked to deal before the close of this year with a programme that would fairly occupy it until the middle of next year. As we have before pointed out, by means of a less pretentious policy last year's session might have closed before the end of the year, and Parliament might have met early this year to consider business legitimately before it. By miscalculation, or by recklessness, that opportunity was lost, and those who lost it are the more responsible for the session to come.

The subject of the propriety of a barrister practising in a court over which his father presides as Judge, which was debated the other day in the Queensland Legislature, belongs to the class of questions which are often described as delicate. But it by no means follows that because a question is delicate it is an improper one to discuss. What is really meant by this term is that the subject is one which we would gladly leave undiscussed did not the interest of the public make the discussion necessary. Where that is the case, it is apparent that the responsibility for what may be objectionable in the discussion devolves not on the man who raises it, but on those who by their action make its debate inevitable. Many of our readers are in a position to know that at different times this question, or something analogous to it, has cropped up in several of the colonies. Its interest is, therefore, a general one; and inasmuch as it is possible for those at a distance to deal with it without the suspicion of individual partiality, and since the question is but a single case of a much larger one respecting the unwritten limitations to the action of public men, it may be well to glance at some of the principles suggested by this matter.

The statements on which the member of Parliament who moved in the case based his action were twofold. He asserted on the authority of a return he had obtained some time ago that 75 per cent. of the cases heard before the Chief Justice were cases in which the son of that learned Judge appeared as counsel, and that when a case was known to be tried before this Judge there was a rush to secure the services of this barrister. And he made also the consequential allegation that the general knowledge of these facts produced great dissatisfaction with the administration of justice. Without going further into these particular statements, it may be mentioned that they received support from other members who took part in the debate, and that they on a former occasion also formed the subject of discussion in the Queensland Parliament. It may be added that the same question has lately been made matter of discussion in legal newspapers in England. Admitting the delicacy of the considerations involved in this matter, it can hardly be said that they present much difficulty to the judgment. It is well known that the legal profession, and perhaps especially the forensic branch of it, is frequently hereditary in families. If the son of a successful barrister takes to the Bar, it is a possibility of the situation that the time may come when he may be called upon to appear in a case before his father on the bench. This is especially likely in comparatively small communities, where the business of the Bar does not offer to selection the variety of character and number of courts that are presented in a larger community. The question is whether this practice should, as was suggested the other day at Brisbane, be forbidden by law. In answer to this it must be remembered that in small communities it is highly undesirable to multiply restrictions on individual action. It is the general interest that we should keep ourselves free in every department of life to get the best man for the work to be done, and it is sometimes necessary to overlook some important considerations and objections to permit of this being done. Those who are in agreement with this line of thought would be very unwilling to impose a hard-and-fast restriction that must be humiliating to those upon whom it is laid, and may be inconvenient or prejudicial to the community. But it by no means follows, although it would be unwise to forbid this practice by law, that it may not become detrimental to the public interests and to the ends of justice. It is to a great extent a matter of degree. If a barrister only had a fair numerical share of the cases heard before his father, perhaps public or professional objection would be slow to arise. But admittedly the case becomes very different if it is a fact that the son has 75 per cent. of these cases, that there is, as alleged, a "rush" to secure his services under this condition, and that there is a serious feeling in the mind of the public that the ends of justice are damaged as a result of these circumstances. The case is one in which the opinion, and even the vague distrust, of the public are practical elements of the question. We are all agreed that the administration of justice must be free, not only from blame, but from suspicion. It must be safeguarded, not only from evil, but even from the suggestion or shadow of evil.

As we have said, this particular case is illustrative of only a branch of a large subject. There are many other ways, apart from the forensic relations of a barrister in court to his father on the Bench, in which the principle equally applies that honourable and sensitive men feel themselves to be bound by many obligations which are not expressed by any rule of law, and which it might be detrimental to the general interest to have so expressed. This is constantly illustrated in the acts of Ministries—we do not mean any particular Ministry—and especially in regard to the appointments they make. How frequently do we see a Minister in this and kindred matters take a course, apparently unconscious of any wrong since it is not positively prohibited by law, which startles and shocks the conscience of the community. A scrupulous man, and even a man reasonably careful of his honour, would find a conscientious difficulty in appointing to a post any near friend or relative. It is evident that from undue scrupulosity of this kind the fair interests of these relatives and the general interests of the public might suffer if the effect were to exclude a man from a post for which he was eminently fitted. How satisfactory it is to be able to reflect on the extreme improbability of our suffering in serious degree from any morbid squeamishness of this kind on the part of our rulers. Happily, they usually display a robust freedom from ethical fastidiousness of this nature, and are supported to such an extent by their inner consciousness of rectitude that they feel themselves able to disregard appearances and to despise the judgments of those more sensitive than themselves. It remains the case that the true honour of a public man, in whatever position he may be placed, consists far less in his observance of the positive commands of the law or the Constitution, than in his sensitive recognition of the binding effect of numberless orders and restrictions which belong to no outer law and are enforced by no material sanction, but are dictated to him by his own sense of what is right and just, and by his feeling of what is required to satisfy the correlative sentiment of right and justice in the mind of the public.

The recent issue of revenue returns in the different colonies, population statistics, census reports, and so forth, has given us all a turn for comparative statistics, to which, in fact, we are almost necessarily led when the results reached in the different colonies are thus placed in juxtaposition. We have already drawn some of the comparisons suggested by the figures, but there are others which it may be worth educing. The figures for example show us not only the relative totals of population and rates of growth in the different colonies, but also the composition of those populations. We have brought into prominence the fact that at the end of last year the population of this colony was 7496 in excess of Victoria, by which we have been excelled in this respect for so many years. But this small and recent excess does not help us to understand the larger revenue, more prosperous railway results, and greater output of New South Wales as compared with Victoria, unless we take into account that whereas New South Wales had only 7496 more persons than Victoria, its males exceeded those of that colony by no less than 23,952. This goes far to account for the larger results yielded in various ways by this colony, and it also illustrates the condition of a colony which is growing largely from the excess of arrivals over departures. While there are in this colony only 84·71 females to 100 males, there are in Victoria 90·77. The largest proportion of females to 100 males is found in South Australia proper, where it stands at 94·39, thus showing that the colony is losing its male population by emigration. The smallest proportion is in the Northern Territory, where there are only 7·05 females to 100 males; but of course this disproportion is caused by the presence of a large element of Chinese, and no encouraging sociological inferences are to be drawn from it. Victoria slightly beats us in the marriage rate as a result of the nearer equality of the numbers of the sexes in that colony; but New South Wales has a larger rate of births and a much smaller rate of deaths than the Southern colony. It is noticeable that in metropolitan populations the highest birth-rate was shown by Brisbane, and the highest death-rate is at Perth, and the next highest at Hobart, while that of Brisbane is the lowest of all. In this respect Sydney compares favourably with Melbourne, which had last year nearly 3000 deaths over Sydney, and a rate of 19·23 per 1000, as against 16·48 in this city. When we take all the circumstances of the population statistics into account we get to better understand the larger results brought about here with a population about equal with that of Victoria; and whether we regard the influx of males from the other colonies as the cause or the effect of our prosperity, or the two elements as mutually reacting on each other as cause and effect at once, the explanation is equally satisfactory, whichever way we may please to take it.

This morning his Excellency the Governor and the Countess of Jersey, accompanied by Lady Galloway, will leave Sydney for Bathurst, where Lady Jersey will open the annual agricultural show. While in Bathurst the members of the vice-regal party are to be guests of Mr. F. B. Suttor, the Minister for Public Instruction, at Bradwardine, where they will remain until the end of the week. Mr. Edmund Barton and Mr. W. J. Lyne, and probably Mr. Slattery, as members of the Ministry, will join the vice-regal party to-morrow afternoon. To-morrow Lord and Lady Jersey will hold a levee in the local courthouse. On Thursday a visit is to be paid to the local show ground, and in the evening the visitors are to attend a ball to be held in the School of Arts, at which an amateur performance of the "Pirates of Penzance" will be witnessed. On Friday the members of the vice-regal party are to inspect the local hospital and attend a ball in the Masonic Hall tendered by the citizens of Bathurst.

On Saturday afternoon Lady Jersey and Lady Galloway visited the University buildings, and were met by the acting Registrar (Mr. Robert A. Dallen), who showed them through the main building, Macleay Museum, the Nicholson Museum of Antiquities, and some of the laboratories. Upon arriving at the medical school, Professor Anderson Stuart escorted them through the buildings and laboratories.

His Excellency the Earl of Jersey presided over a meeting of the Executive Council yesterday afternoon. Routine business was transacted, after which the following appointments of Crown Prosecutors were made:—J. H. P. Murray, Tamworth; H. Pollock, Yass; H. E. Cohen, Armidale; J. Moriarty, Goulburn; and A. W. Robertson, Broken Hill. Contrary to expectation members of the Royal Commission chosen to inquire into the charges made by Mr. Schey, M.L.A., against the Chief Railway Commissioner and railway administration were not formally sworn in. Matters of detail stood in the way of this formality. His Honor Judge Owen, Mr. Kethel, and Mr. J. Young will receive their commissions as soon as circumstances allow, and after that no time is to be lost in initiating the inquiry.

Mr. G. R. Dibbs has experienced a relapse since he left Sydney on Saturday for his home at Emu Plains. In a private letter sent to the metropolis, he says he has suffered pretty well for his attendance at the prorogation of Parliament. When writing on Sunday night he was slightly better. He regards the inclement weather as a principal factor in connection with his continued indisposition.

Mr. Kidd, the Postmaster-General, accompanied by Mr. Sheldon, the member for the district, intends to open the Namoi Agricultural Show during the current week. The show ground in question is situated about 80 miles from Gunnedah. From this point on the railway line Mr. Kidd will be driven to the centre of festivities. The Postmaster-General is hopeful of returning to Sydney next Thursday. Meanwhile Mr. Slattery, the Minister for Mines, has consented to deal with all important business pertaining to the Postal and Telegraphic Departments of the public service.

The Royal Commission to inquire into the allegations made concerning the effectiveness of the recently-imported Baldwin locomotives has been appointed. The commissioners are Mr. F. E. Rogers, Q.C. (president), Professor William Henry Warren, M.I.C.E. (of the Sydney University), and Mr. Alexander Brown, ex-M.L.A. for Newcastle. These gentlemen are commissioned to make a diligent and full inquiry into the allegations made, that the recently imported Balwin locomotives are defective and unsuitable to the permanent way of the railways of New South Wales, and are not rendering that service which was expected of them. Mr. F. E. Rogers, Q.C., is to be president of the commission, and the time mentioned for the close of the inquiry is two months from date.

During the past week an officer connected with the Public Works Department has been in Parramatta checking the traffic across Lennox Bridge. This is being done in view of the representations of Mr. Hugh Taylor, M.L.A., to the effect that the bridge, through the smallness of the arch, not only held back the flood waters to the damage of private property, but was not wide enough for the traffic which passed over it daily.

Yesterday the Railway Commissioners received 13 tenders for the drainage of Junee railway station. The lowest was that of Mr. W. P. O'Donnell, whose price was £819 13s. For the supply of engine coal required at Newcastle eight offers were submitted to the Commissioners. No tender for this contract has been accepted.

The R.M.S. Ballaarat arrived from London yesterday and berthed at the Company's wharf. She had to the colonies a full complement of passengers. Amongst those who arrived here were the Hon. C. J. Roberts and family, and the Hon. Mr. Justice Tottenham and family. The Ballaarat has brought out a contingent of 220 seamen and marines, including 11 chief petty officers, for her Majesty's war cruisers on the Australian station. The officers in charge are Lieutenant H. E. Pury-Cust, Lieutenant A. H. T. Marescaux, Lieutenant H. W. Helby, Surgeon J. Anderson, and Surgeon E. C. Cridland. The time-expired men on the station return home by the Ballaarat. Captain E. Ashdown is in command of the steamer.

A meeting of the shareholders in the Anglo-Australian Investment, Finance, and Land Company, Limited, was held yesterday afternoon in the Y.M.C.A. Hall to consider the advisability of increasing the capital of the company. Mr. Henry Gorman presided, and there were about 40 shareholders present. After discussion resolutions were passed in favour of increasing the capital of the company by £57,962 in one pound shares, and asking each shareholder to subscribe one share for every two shares of £1 paid up, and five shares for every two shares of £5 paid up.

At a meeting which was held at the Glebe last night Mr. Houghton, M.L.A., referred to the non-occupation of the local courthouse. He said that the Minister for Justice had, from representations made to him, agreed to hand over the building to the Glebe Municipal Council to be used for some public purpose, such as a school of arts. The offer had lately been communicated to the municipal council, but that body had not, apparently, dealt with it so far. Carte-blanche was given in regard to the furniture now in the building, and the only condition imposed was that the premises should be given up to the Government when a stipendiary magistrate was appointed to preside there. The Under-Secretary for Justice had informed him that the department was altogether opposed to the appointment of additional stipendiary magistrates at present. So far as could be gathered a long period of time would, Mr. Houghton said, elapse before the department would require the building.

Mr. Justice Stephen sat for some time in Chambers yesterday and disposed of several matters. In ex parte Wm. Henry Pearce the applicant had prosecuted a man named Scrivner for making a false declaration under the Municipalities Act of 1867; but the magistrate declined to hear the case on the ground that the complainant, Pearce, had not obtained a Judge's order giving him leave to prosecute. It was now contended that no such leave was necessary. His Honor granted a rule absolute for a mandamus to compel the magistrate to proceed with the case, and said that had he referred to the 300th section of the Criminal Law Amendment Act he must have seen that the leave of a Judge was not necessary in the matter. In the case of Henry Lloyd Whittell a peculiar point is involved. Whittell, who is a solicitor, carrying on business at Nowra, was summoned, with 26 other persons, for keeping unregistered dogs. He was fined, and he now appealed on the ground that the Dog Act did not apply to Nowra, but only to Sydney. His Honor granted the rule nisi on the ground stated, and made it returnable next Term.

The hearing of the Equity suit Batt and another v. Onslow and others was resumed before Mr. Justice Owen yesterday, when Mr. Batt was further examined in contradiction of the many points of Mr. Smith's evidence. The further hearing of the case was then adjourned until this morning.

The sittings of the Central Criminal Court opened at Darlinghurst yesterday, before his Honor Mr. Acting-Justice Heydon and a jury of 12. Arthur M'Brien pleaded guilty to a charge of bigamy, and was remanded for sentence. William James Smith and George Alfred Buck were placed on their trial on a charge of conspiracy to defraud in connection with the Australian Mercantile Loan and Guarantee Company. Mr. Coffey and Mr. J. L. Campbell prosecuted on behalf of the Crown. Mr. Ralston defended Buck, and Mr. Gannon defended Smith. Augustus Blair was the only witness examined during the day. He was a bookkeeper in the employ of the company, and gave evidence as to alterations in the books. The further hearing of the case was adjourned until to-day.

The entrance examination for articled clerks commenced at the University yesterday, and the Civil Service examination was also held at the same place. For the former there were 28 candidates, and for the latter 37, of whom two were ladies.

The Chapter of St. Andrew's Cathedral has had before it the question of continuing or abandoning the choir school, and has resolved that the school shall be carried on as heretofore. Arrangements have accordingly been made for the working of the school pending the appointment of a successor to the Rev. A. R. Rivers. It is expected that a Precentor will shortly be appointed to the vacant post at the cathedral, and he will then also take charge of the school.

At the Metropolitan Quarter Sessions, which opened at Darlinghurst yesterday, Henry Brent, clerk in the employment of Mort's Dock and Engineering Company, pleaded guilty to a charge of having embezzled certain sums of money belonging to the company. He was remanded for sentence. Wm. Martin was found guilty of having inflicted grievous bodily harm on Constable Ross at Gladesville on the 13th February. Sarah Cashman was found guilty of having stolen £48 from Walter Fleming. Joseph Phillips was convicted of having stolen some jewellery, the property of Mrs. Gannon, wife of the licensee of Petty's Hotel. The prisoners were all remanded for sentence.

The recent wet weather in the county of Cumberland has not been beneficial to the fruitgrowers. One or two growers in the county have informed our Parramatta correspondent that the rain has had a serious effect upon the orange second crop, which is falling from the trees. The only reason that can be assigned for this is that the fruit has become saturated.

A lecture entitled "Lifeboat Work in Mount's Bay and Land's End Districts," was delivered under the auspices of the Cornishmen's Society by Mr. N. B. Downing, in the Temperance Hall, last evening. The chair was occupied by Mr. E. W. Jenkins, and there was a large attendance of members and visitors, including a number of ladies. The lecturer, who was the coxswain of the Penzance lifeboat, gave a number of thrilling incidents regarding the rescue of life on the coast of Cornwall, and especially referred to the wrecks of the Marie Emily and the John Gray on which occasions he left the coast in charge of a lifeboat crew, and was successful in rescuing a number of persons. He advocated the establishment of a lifeboat institution in this colony similar to the National Lifeboat Institution of England, and he expressed the hope that steps would be shortly taken to give effect to the proposal.

A phrenological lecture illustrating the head of F. B. Deeming, the alleged Windsor murderer, was given in the Temperance Hall last night by Signor P. Besomo, who had on the platform pictures of Deeming's head painted from photographs. He explained the different characteristics of the man as displayed in his features and head. At the close of the lecture several subjects were examined and reported on by the lecturer.

The following promotions in the metropolitan police district are announced to take effect from the 1st of this month:—Sergeants John M'Donald, Andrew W. Strachan, and William Garrick to

the rank of senior-sergeants; Senior-constables Michel M'Cole, Richard Brennan, Patrick Carbery, Thomas Johnston, James Barnett, and John H. Day to the rank of sergeants; First-class Constables John Meenaghan, John Sydenham Duncan, Angus M'Kenzie, Owen L. Powell, George Bradley, Thomas L. Ball, Alexander Murdoch, James H. Holmes, and James Meldrum to the rank of senior-constables.

A MEETING of commercial travellers was held at Forbes Hotel, King-street, last evening, to form a committee to make the necessary arrangements for the holding of the second annual ball which it was resolved should take place early in July next. Mr. L. Levy occupied the chair, and there was a fairly large attendance of representatives of the various branches of commerce. A committee was appointed, and a considerable amount of routine business was disposed of.

"LA TRAVIATA" was revived at the Garrick Theatre last night before a large audience, when Signora Cuttica, as Violetta, well supported by Signor Cuttica as Alfredo, repeated former triumphs in the opera. A change in the cast introduced Signor Melossi as Germont, who sang with much tenderness in the duo, "Dite alla Giovine," and was encored for the popular "Di Provenza il mar." The theatre will be closed to-night, and to-morrow "Martha" will be revived, whilst on Thursday "Rigoletto" will be staged. On Friday, when the theatre is not occupied by the Italian Opera Company, Rice's "Evangeline" Company will give a programme in which scenes from "Evangeline" and "Cinderella" will be the chief attraction.

"THE CRUCIFIXION," a sacred cantata by Sir John Stainer, which attracted favourable notice when it was first performed at St. Andrew's Cathedral, will be sung at Christ Church (St. Laurence) this evening. The choir has been augmented for the occasion, which should prove of special interest to those who love sacred music both tuneful and devotional in character.

THE weekly change of programme at the Alhambra Music Hall was witnessed by an audience which completely filled the building last night. Ballads and comic songs, which formed the principal part of the first portion of the entertainment, were rendered in good style, and the artists were the recipients of loud applause. "Moonbeams," the overture, was given with a chorus by the company, and Mr. F. Spencer followed with "The Old Brigade." "The Windy Man," a comic effusion by Mr. T. Delohery created much laughter, an encore being demanded. "Only a Blue Bell" was prettily sung by Miss Tessie Cleveland, and Miss Beatrice James contributed "Beauty Sleeps." Miss Rae Cowan sang "The Lullaby." A champion sand-jig by Miss Maggie Coghlan brought the first part to a close. In the second part Messrs. Delohery, Craydon, Holland, and Alf. James were very amusing in a song, illustrated by a dance, "O'Flynn's Troubles." "The Wrong Man" and "Didn't Know the Way," two serio-comic songs, were rendered with spirit by Miss St. Clair. The last item on the programme was a farce, "Waiting for Guppy," in which Miss R. Jones, Charlie Fanning, J. Craydon, F. Maher, and Alf. James took part.

IN connection with the No. 66 William of Nassau branch of the Loyal Orange Lodge, a concert and dance were held last evening in the Carrington Hall, Castlereagh-street. Mr. J. C. Neild, M.L.A. (R.W.G.M. of the Order) occupied the chair. The entertainment opened with the concert, in which songs were rendered by Miss Robertson, Mrs. Harrison, Messrs. Robertson, R. Lutton, Alex. Edward, J. T. Forsyth, and C. Ritchie (comic). The Misses Davis and Miss T. Johnston danced the Highland Fling and Sailor's Hornpipe respectively. Tommy Corrigan (a young ventriloquist) appeared in an entertainment entitled "Billy and Sally." Mr. S. Austin accompanied, and the arrangements of the evening were successfully carried out by Mr. S. E. Crouch, secretary.

IN the case of Regina v. David Haddon Heaton, who was committed at Gunning to Yass Circuit Court on a charge of false pretences, the Attorney-General has declined to prosecute.

MR. A. CARROLL, who was for a considerable time first assistant at the Haymarket post-office, was recently appointed postmaster at the George-street west office. His brother officials on Saturday presented him with a valuable fruit stand. The presentation was made by Mr. Cupitt.

THE executive of the Colonial Union met in the Temperance Hall, Pitt-street, on Friday. Mrs. Bowes, colonial president, was in the chair. Letters were received from Singleton, Orange, Tamworth, Bathurst, and Newtown, also one from Miss Ackerman. Miss Goodin (Parramatta) stated that it was the intention of their union to take steps in connection with the social purity department to agitate for the age of consent to be raised. Miss Hogg reported that the annual meeting at Goulburn had been very successful.

A SPECIAL meeting of the Glebe Labour Electoral League was called for last evening, and it was announced that Mr. Houghton, M.L.A., would deliver an address. Between 50 and 60 members attended. Mr. Peter Strong took the chair, and at once rose to make an explanation concerning a meeting of the league which had been held recently at Annandale. Several members admitted that that meeting had occurred in contravention of one of the rules, and in a very short space of time a heated discussion was being indulged in as to whether the minutes of the meeting at Annandale, together with those of a previous meeting held at the Glebe, should be adopted. One of the members, on being taken to task by another, declared that it was a case of "Satan reproving sin," and various other remarks almost as uncomplimentary were hurled about. Now and again members would remind one another that "a house divided against itself could not stand," but no progress was made for a long while. Eventually a proposition was moved that the minutes of the meeting held at Annandale should be confirmed. No sooner was this seconded than another member moved, as an amendment, that the minutes of the Glebe meeting should be treated as suggested. Mr. Houghton came forward with an alternative that, in order to avert a split in the meeting, none of the minutes be read. Protests were made on all sides against each suggestion, and the chairman said "he would be glad if anything could be proposed that could keep them together." Arguments and accusations were so plentiful that the chairman soon had to declare that "instead of putting a wet blanket on the fire which was raging, more coals were being heaped upon it," whereupon the rejoinder was heard—"Some of us would be all the better for being put through the fire." When just one hour and a half had elapsed, a committee of conciliation, numbering six members, was appointed to endeavour to come to some understanding. The committee retired, and returned in half an hour with a report which, it was stated, had been agreed to unanimously. The purport of the document was that the minutes of both meetings be cancelled; that members refrain from writing to the press on matters relating to the internal working of the league; and that the committee be empowered to remain in force to consider how the more harmonious working of the league could be effected. The report was unanimously adopted. While the committee was absent from the room Mr. Houghton entered upon a brief account of his actions since his election to a seat in Parliament. He spoke of the efforts which he had made to have local works carried out, and his remarks on this point met with general approval. Speaking on the restriction of the hours of labour, Mr. Houghton said he did not wholly agree with the steps which had been taken to secure that end. He thought that, while no man or girl or boy should be kept employed for more than a certain number of hours, the employer should be allowed to keep open for the 24 hours if he liked, provided that he employed three shifts of hands. The present Labour Bureau would, he was assured, be likely to form the nucleus of a Department of Labour. This matter was to receive the attention of the Government during the recess.

WITH the view of affording increased facility for exporting the surplus stock now existing in the colony the New South Wales Fresh Food and Ice Company has, we are informed, established connections between its freezing-machines and a new freezing-room capable of dealing with about 10,000 carcases of sheep. The room is working perfectly, showing already a temperature of 10° or 22° of frost. Owing to butter and fruit shipments, the export of meat has been checked during the summer, but is now again commencing. Last week some 7000 carcases were shipped by mail steamer, and the company hopes to get away 25,000 carcases within the next 10 days.

GOOD progress continues to be made towards the completion of the arrangements for housing the indigent unemployed in the Exhibition Building during the winter months. The whole of the floor space was well scrubbed yesterday, and carpenters were busily engaged in making necessary improvements. Mr. Creer, the manager of the Labour Bureau, has drafted out a set of rules, which it is intended shall be strictly enforced. Under these rules smoking in the building is strictly prohibited, admission is denied to persons under the influence of liquor, and misconduct is followed by expulsion. To-day Mr. Creer hopes to confer with Dr. Ashburton Thompson as to the best means of keeping the place clean. Mr. Creer intends to insist upon personal cleanliness, and as the best means to this end he will see that the temporary residents in the Exhibition Building bathe daily. Admission is granted only between the hours of 8 and 10 o'clock p.m., and the inmates are roused at 6 in the morning and required to join in "cleaning-up" duty. The supply of meals is limited to breakfast and tea, but provision has been made for supplying food to men with families, and this, so far, has been rendered easy by the kindness of business men in the city. For instance, a resident of Sussex-street, yesterday supplied to about 200 "ticket-holders" rations, consisting of a loaf of bread, 2lb. cheese, and 2lb. bacon. Altogether the unemployed are well cared for. Mr. Creer has found in his "flock" a proportion of black sheep, but of these he intends to get rid, and he is very hopeful that ere many weeks are over employment will have been found for the majority of those who really desire work. The Governor has forwarded £20 to the Mayor for the relief of the men.

AN old resident of Parramatta, Mrs. George Wickham, who had been a resident of the town for 60 years, died yesterday morning. The deceased lady (who was the mother of Mr. George Wickham, J.P., and clerk of petty sessions, Parramatta, also of Mr. Sydney Wickham, council clerk, Parramatta) was the Parramatta postmistress in the early days, and at the time of her death was in the receipt of a pension from the Government.

A WOMAN named Johanah Butler, a widow, aged 55 years, who lived at 24 Athlone-place, was found dead at her residence yesterday. Her son states that deceased had been drinking excessively lately. Dr. West was called, and pronounced life to be extinct. Sergeant Barnet has reported the matter to the City Coroner.

WITH reference to the young man Albert Bellamy, who dropped dead on Saturday afternoon, whilst witnessing his brother ride a race at the Central Cumberland Agricultural Show, the circumstance was reported to the local coroner, Mr. J. E. Bowden, who, after communicating with the young man's family doctor, dispensed with an inquest. The doctor certified that the deceased had been suffering from heart disease; he also stated that deceased's father had dropped dead under similar circumstances.

A SAD accident happened at the Agricultural Ground yesterday morning to a jockey named James Brown. He was galloping a racehorse named Miss Selby round the course, when a horse named Fleetwind, galloping in the opposite direction, came into collision with the horse Brown was riding. Both horses were killed, and Brown on being picked up was taken to St. Vincent's Hospital, where on admission by Dr. Mueller he was found to have sustained fractures of both arms and concussion of the brain. The other jockey was not injured.

THE City Coroner held an inquest in the Edinburgh Castle Hotel, Bathurst and Pitt streets, yesterday, relative to the death of a man named Henry Bowrey, who on Sunday morning was found hanging at his home, 294 Pitt-street. Deceased was 61 years of age, a cooper by trade, and had been of intemperate habits. For the past eight or nine years he had been in bad health, but latterly had been very much worse. During a more severe attack than usual he said, "My life is a misery to me; I wish I was dead." His son George Bowrey last saw him alive on Saturday night. He was then in a rather despondent state of mind. Next morning about 3 o'clock his son found him leaning against a wall with a rope round his neck made fast to a batten nailed across the window. The police were sent for, and Senior-constable Slaman, on arrival, cut the body down. Dr. G. A. Marshall, who during a professional visit some months ago found Bowrey suffering from inflammation of the lungs, deposed to having examined the body. He found that death was due to strangulation by hanging. The jury returned a verdict of suicide by hanging.

MR. ALFRED TENNYSON DICKENS lectures on the works of his father, Charles Dickens, at Leichhardt Town Hall, this evening.

IN our advertisement columns Senor Manuel Lopez, the Spanish Student, announces that he is making arrangements for training a select society of mandoline and guitar players.

THE Sydney Hospital report for the week ended 4th April is as follows:—Admitted, 47; discharged, 49; died, 5; remaining, 225; casualties treated but not admitted, 980.

THE TUMUT LAND BOARD.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

TUMUT, MONDAY.

A case of considerable importance was concluded to-day before the local land board at Tumut, presided over by Mr. F. W. Watt. Several members of a family named Cox and Hassett applied for certain land on Ellerslie Holding as conditional purchasers and conditional lessees. The firstnamed also applied for it in virtue of a conditional purchase which was unopposed. Three ballots were held, in which Peterson and Sargood first balloted against the Cox's, secondly against Hassett and Cox's and Cox's, and thirdly against the Cox family. The first ballot was won by Bridget Cox, the second and third by Peterson and Sargood, the effect being that Bridget Cox won her conditional purchase, and Peterson and Sargood the land applied for by her and them as a lease, Hassett and the others being thrown out, withdrawing their applications. Bridget Cox then, by arrangement with Peterson and Sargood, withdrew her conditional purchase application, leaving Peterson and Sargood the sole remaining applicants for the land. J. W. Cox, one of the aforesaid applicants, being of opinion that the ballot was illegally conducted, some three months after lodged conditional purchase and conditional lease applications for the land, and also lodged a complaint under section 14, subsection 5 of the Act 1884, against Peterson and Sargood. The applications were made on the ground of illegal ballot. Evidence was taken on both sides, including that of the Crown land agent. The board decided that the ballot was improperly held, and that if there had been no other point in the case a fresh one would have been ordered. However, Peterson and Sargood lodged at the same time an application for a conditional purchase, which was unopposed, with a lease in virtue of it. The land comprised within that lease was, under section 21, sub-section 1, Act 1884, exempt from conditional sale, and therefore it was directed that the lease should be proceeded with on its merits. Peterson and Sargood were represented by Mr. Emanuel, solicitor, and the Cox family by Mr. Taylor, solicitor.

A CASE OF SNAKEBITE.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

TAREE, MONDAY.

On Saturday afternoon a lad named Easton, living at Belbowrie, near Krambach, was bitten by a snake. Messengers were despatched to Taree for Dr. Howse, who was absent. Dr. Moir, of Summer Hill, who is on a visit to the district, accordingly attended, having to head all the creeks. He stayed with the lad on Saturday night and Sunday, and the patient is now doing well.

THE DROWNING OF THE SECOND OFFICER OF THE ELECTRA.

THE BODY NOT YET RECOVERED.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

TAREE, MONDAY.

Further particulars to hand in regard to the drowning of James Allison, second officer of the steamer Electra, on Saturday evening, state that the drogher Manning was lying alongside the Electra. Allison fell overboard from the deck of the drogher, and he sank almost at once. The chief and second engineers threw ropes to him, while Captain Farrell threw a patent lifebuoy which, on striking the water, showed a bright light. It continued burning for 35 minutes. The buoy fell quite near Allison, but he failed to grasp it, and sank suddenly as if cramped. The steamer's boat was soon got out, and a search was made for him, but without avail. Information was given to the police immediately, and from daylight till dark yesterday they and the crew of the Electra and the neighbouring farmers were engaged in searching for the body. The police are still out with the same object, but it has not yet been recovered. The deceased was a native of Scotland, and leaves a widow and one child, who reside at Balmain.

SPECIAL CABLES.

FROM THE *HERALD'S* LONDON CORRESPONDENTS.

REVOLUTIONARY MOVEMENT IN THE ARGENTINE.

BUENOS AYRES IN A STATE OF SIEGE.

DYNAMITE LARGELY DISTRIBUTED.

PLOT TO MURDER THE PRESIDENT AND THE CIVIL OFFICIALS.

LONDON, APRIL 4.

Buenos Ayres, the capital of the Argentine Republic, has been proclaimed to be in a state of siege. Many radical leaders and 40 officers of the army have been deported in a man-of-war to the island of Tierra del Fuego, owing to their having been concerned in a plot to bring about a revolution, in which dynamite was intended to be used.

The conspirators had matured plans for the murder of the President, the civil officials, the heads of the army, and leading citizens.

Dynamite has been widely distributed. Many bombs and documents of a revolutionary character have been seized.

The cavalry troops are patrolling the city. The soldiers sleep in their uniforms in order to be ready for any emergency.

The army and navy are loyal.

The city is quiet at present.

REVOLT IN VENEZUELA.

LONDON, APRIL 4.

The *New York Herald* publishes a telegraphic despatch to the effect that a revolt has taken place in Venezuela. The rebels have defeated the Government troops. There was heavy loss on both sides. The house of the President was destroyed by dynamite. The President and his family escaped without injury.

PLOT TO OVERTHROW THE BULGARIAN GOVERNMENT.

LONDON, APRIL 4.

A plot has been discovered at Odessa, having branches at Belgrade, Constantinople, and other cities, to overthrow the Bulgarian Government.

RUSSIA AND GERMANY.

COMMERCIAL RELATIONS.

LONDON, APRIL 4.

Russia is parleying with Germany with a view to the concluding of a commercial treaty between the two countries.

THE ENGINEERS' STRIKE IN ENGLAND.

THE FAILURE OF ARBITRATION.

LONDON, APRIL 4.

The strike of engineers on the Tyne and Wear continues. The attempts to settle the dispute by means of arbitration have failed.

DISASTROUS EXPLOSION IN VICTORIA.

TWO MEN KILLED AND TWO OTHERS SERIOUSLY INJURED.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

MELBOURNE, MONDAY.

The works of the Australian Explosives and Chemical Company, Limited, at Deer Park, were to-day the scene of a disastrous explosion. Two men met with an instantaneous death and two others sustained such serious injuries that they are now lying in the Melbourne Hospital in a precarious condition. The works are about 10 miles from Melbourne. Blasting gelatine, dynamite, lithofracteur, and other explosives are manufactured on the premises, and every possible safeguard is taken to prevent accident. The victims of the disaster were Alex. Stewart, John Hurst, Gavin Warnock, and Richard Williams. They were employed in making blasting cartridges with pebble powder, and were working by themselves in an isolated wooden building 16ft. square. After working for the greater part of the day, they started upon a few remaining cartridges at about a quarter-past 4 o'clock. Warnock was at the handle of the rolling machine, Stewart and Hurst were feeding, and Williams was wrapping the cartridges as they issued from the machine, when the explosion occurred, throwing the four men to the ground, forcing out the walls of the building, and shifting the roof bodily five yards or more. The woodwork and the clothes of the men caught fire, and when the other workmen rushed to their assistance they witnessed a dreadful spectacle. Stewart and Hurst were dead, with their bodies disembowelled and their limbs smashed. Warnock and Williams were severely injured. M'Grath, another employee passing the building at the time, was prostrated by the shock and injured by fragments of flying timber. The injured men were brought to the Melbourne Hospital. Warnock was found to be severely burnt all over the body. The head had to be operated upon for the removal of splinters of wood which had been driven into the skull. Williams was not so badly burnt, but pieces of wood had to be taken from the side of his head and the back of the neck, the right shoulder, side, and the thigh. The state of both men is critical. Hurst was a married man with two children. Stewart was married and had one child. The other two were single. All were young men.

A LAD ACCIDENTALLY SHOT BY HIS BROTHER.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

BRISBANE, MONDAY.

Henry Lawton, aged 17, residing near Toowoomba, was out duck shooting yesterday. He was handling a loaded pea rifle, when from some cause unexplained the weapon went off. The pellet lodged in the left breast of his brother, Thomas, aged 16. Medical aid was soon at hand, but the lad died.

THE GOVERNOR'S VISIT TO BATHURST.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

BATHURST, MONDAY.

Visitors are already arriving for the show, and all the principal hotels will be full. The Governor and party will arrive by to-morrow's day train, and will be the guest of the Hon. F. B. Suttor, Minister for Education, during their stay. The arrangements include a reception at the station, where an address of welcome will be presented to Lord Jersey by the Mayor on behalf of the citizens. On Wednesday the Governor visits the public buildings, and in the afternoon will be entertained at a Masonic banquet. On Thursday his Excellency will officially open the show, and attend an amateur performance of the "Pirates of Penzance" at night. The visit will end on Friday. The town is being decorated, and elaborate preparations are being made to give the Governor a loyal demonstration.

It was announced that Mr. Dibbs would be among the vice-regal party, but it is expected that his health will prevent him from coming. Messrs. Barton and Lyne are expected.

SPECIAL CABLES.

FROM THE *HERALD'S* LONDON CORRESPONDENTS.

THE ANARCHISTS IN FRANCE.

DISCOVERY OF A DYNAMITE FACTORY.

LONDON, APRIL 4.

Parcels of dynamite have been stolen at Lourdes, Nimes, and Annemasse, in France.

A dynamite factory, which was being carried on in a clandestine manner, has been discovered near Paris.

Ravachol, the leader of the Paris anarchists, has confessed to having planned the murder of the Deputies who voted in favour of capital punishment for dynamite outrages.

THE BRITISH IN WEST AFRICA.

A PERMANENT NATIVE FORCE.

LONDON, APRIL 4.

The British in West Africa are raising a force of 3000 native troops, to be utilised as a permanent force in that region.

THE UNIVERSITY BOAT RACE.

LONDON, APRIL 4.

In the betting on the Oxford and Cambridge boat race, even money is laid on the Cambridge crew.

THE NEW DEPARTURE AT THE PROPRIETARY MINE.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

ADELAIDE, MONDAY.

Messrs. Wilson, Wigg, Macgregor, and Jameson, directors, and Mr. Knox, the secretary of the Proprietary mine, arrived in Adelaide on Monday, and left by the Melbourne express in the afternoon. Mr. M'Bride returned on Saturday, and a large meeting of shareholders was held in Adelaide this afternoon.

The CHAIRMAN (Mr. W. R. Wilson) said that the present condition of the mine was in every way satisfactory, as also were the yields from the 13 furnaces, which were kept in full blast at the mine, in addition to at least three more at Dry Creek. This state of affairs was in a great measure due to the success of what is known as the open cut system of working. The results of this system amply proves the change to be a wise one, for the output of lead per week had risen fully 100 per cent. That was to say, that, while a few months ago they were only getting from 500 to 600 tons, they were now obtaining about 1100 tons of lead, and the silver output had also increased, though not to the same extent. The open-cut system at present in operation was a limited one, but there had been two propositions put forward by Mr. Howell, one of which went very much farther than did the other. Mr. Howell was now distinctly of the opinion that at the southern end of the mine at least it would be beneficial to adopt the larger scheme, and as a step in this direction it had been decided upon that contracts were to be let at once for the removal of M'Gregor's hill to a depth of from 70ft. to 80ft. This will give about £40,000 worth of timber which has been placed in the hill to hold it up, in addition to which there will be the opening out of nearly 400,000 tons of ore that can be easily extracted when the cap of the lode is taken away.

One result of the open-cut system is that they are now calculating ironstone as ore, and this necessarily has reduced the average cost per ton of the whole quantity treated. It would now constitute the most abundant source of income from the mine, as the ironstone itself contained from 10 to 20 ounces of silver per ton. They were advised by the general manager that more reduction plant was wanted immediately, and with this end in view it has been decided to make the British Company an offer for the whole of their smelting plant at Port Pirie.

With regard to the water difficulty, Mr. Wilson said that one of the difficulties staring them in the face was that the Government insisted upon their undertaking to supply Broken Hill also, in case of need, at the charge of 5s per 1000 gallons, thus making the mining companies trading companies, which, under the present articles of association, there was no power provided for them so to do. The Stephens Creek works are practically completed, and pipes are being laid as fast as possible, so that should rain fall, assistance would be derived from this quarter. In the meantime, the Acacia supply continues to afford 70,000 to 90,000 gallons daily, and although it is diminishing somewhat, still, there is but little doubt that it will hold out to some extent at least for a considerable time to come. Regarding the railway rates, negotiations are now proceeding, and it is confidently hoped that the Silverton Tramway Company and the Government would jointly make considerable reductions from the present charges for freight. An alteration was proposed to be made on the sliding scale, by which every increase of say 1000 tons will bring forth a lower rate of freight. As matters are now proceeding, good results are confidently looked for. Regarding Professor Schnabel's report to the Barrier Ranges Mines Association on "The Treatment of Sulphide Ores," he regretted to say that noting practical could come out of it, and although Mr. Schlapp spoke hopefully of two methods of treating the ore, it is evident that he himself had no great faith in the methods proposed. They had about £350,000 worth of silver afloat and unsold, so that the drop in the silver market was a serious matter for this item as well as on their output. So long as the low price prevailed, and should no recovery take place, or should prices by any chance be further depreciated, it was a question whether it might not be impossible to maintain the regular dividend. The directors were strongly of opinion that should the necessity arise for doing anything in this direction, it would be preferable to pass a dividend rather than pay a reduced sum per month. They were of this opinion so strongly for the reason that they had no doubt about easily paying the old amount when the rain falls, or should silver come back to the rates ruling for the past six months. Every possible effort would be made to continue the usual dividend, but the directors would be wanting in their duty if no note of warning was sounded. He wished to state, in conclusion, that the directors regarded the outlook in every way as satisfactory as far as the mine was concerned, and that in their opinion no apprehension need be felt for the future if there be given a fair price for the products and a fair supply of water.

After the chairman had made his statement, Mr. JOHN SMALL moved,—"That it be a recommendation to the directors to take such steps immediately on the Assembly meeting again in Sydney, and failing the Stockdale Bill being carried out, to get the Darling water brought to Broken Hill as quickly as possible." This was carried.

The CHAIRMAN stated that the New South Wales Legislature did not meet till the latter end of September or October. The directors were unanimous that it would not be desirable to reduce the dividends. The time before the new plant at Port Pirie could be erected was estimated at eight months.

Mr. SMALL moved that the directors be asked to publish the actual returns of the mine, and not the fictitious ones.

The CHAIRMAN advised the meeting not to accept this proposition in a hurry, as the shareholders could know as much about the actual returns as the directors themselves.

The motion was not seconded.

The CHAIRMAN stated that the open-cut system was relieving the Hill every day from the danger of creeps, and the directors did not anticipate any further trouble in this direction.

A vote of thanks to the chairman closed the meeting.

THE WINDSOR TRAGEDY.

THE DEMOLITION OF DENHAM VILLA DELAYED.

A MONSTER EASTER EXCURSION TO RAINHILL.

FURTHER REPORTS OF DEEMING'S MATRIMONIAL ADVENTURES.

THE MURDERS IN SOUTH AFRICA.

[BY CABLE.]
(FROM OUR LONDON CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, APRIL 4.

A telegram received from South Africa states that the Johannesburg police have proved that the young man Keays, who was believed to have been murdered by Deeming in South Africa in 1888, died at Johannesburg from fever in May, 1889. Keays' friend, who accompanied him from Australia, was named Larsen, not Lawson, as was reported.

The police disbelieve that Deeming was at Johannesburg at the time that the other murders were committed.

Some delay has taken place in the demolition of Denham Villa, at Rainhill, in accordance with the instructions of the owner.

Rainhill is crowded with people.

A monster Easter excursion by railway to Rainhill has been arranged.

Numerous fresh reports have been received as to Deeming's marriage adventures, but they lack confirmation. It is asserted that 18 months ago he resided for a month at an hotel in Liverpool, where he gave out that he owned a goldmine in Australia. He also stated that he belonged to a corps of rifles which performed signal service in the Australian bush. He showed a uniform which he had worn. He exhibited plenty of money, and twice offered to marry the landlady of the hotel, who possessed money, but she declined his offer.

It is reported that Deeming at one time lived at Devonport with a young lady from the Channel Islands.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENTS.)

MELBOURNE, MONDAY.

Captain Evans, Inspector-General of Penal Establishments, states that so far as he is aware no one has been permitted, or will be permitted, to interview Deeming in gaol unless on official business and has received an order to see the prisoner. Numerous applications have been made for orders to interview him, but Captain Evans has refused all except one or two concerned in official business.

PERTH, MONDAY.

On inquiry, it is learned that no message of the kind rumoured some days ago has been sent to the Commissioner of Police by the Chief Commissioner of Police in Victoria, to the effect that an explanation was demanded from Major Phillips as to the neglect which allowed Swanston to remove his moustache. It is contended here that Swanston was not under the charge of the police of this colony while at Albany, but under that of the Victorian detective, Cawsey, to whom he had been handed over by the police magistrate at Perth on the Wednesday preceding the executing of the warrant which Cawsey presented to the Court. Undoubtedly strange carelessness was shown somewhere. In the ordinary course of things an inquiry will be held to discover, if possible, how it was that Swanston was permitted to play such a trick upon the police without its being detected.

INTERCOLONIAL NEWS.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENTS.)

VICTORIA.

MELBOURNE, MONDAY.

The number of ratepayers whose names are on the revised electoral rolls to be used at the general election is 228,841, and 49,412 on the manhood suffrage rolls, making a total of 278,253. By the operation of the Purification of Rolls Act 6949 ratepayers and 4827 holders of manhood suffrage rights were struck off the rolls on their being revised.

It has been arranged that Dr. Buss, engineer of the Luhrig Company, and Mr. Cunningham, chairman of the company, shall visit the mines of Victoria to ascertain the quantity and quality of tailings available for treatment by the Luhrig process. They will first visit Ballarat on Monday.

The Minister for Railways intends to have the grain freight from Nhill to the South Australian border increased by 200 per cent. The new rate will come into operation next week. The present charges suit the farmers of the Nhill district, as they get quick returns in disposing of their wheat to South Australian buyers, who export it via Kingston.

Mr. Samuel W. Armfield, jeweller, of Gertrude-street, Fitzroy, reported to the police that he left his shop for a moment on Saturday morning for a room at the back of the shop, and on returning found that a show case containing rings, &c., valued at £100, had been stolen. He considers that the thief must have watched his movements.

The cases of typhoid fever throughout the colony reported for the week ended Saturday last, numbered 128, of which 16 were fatal. For the corresponding week of last year the numbers were respectively 98 and 14.

QUEENSLAND.

BRISBANE, MONDAY.

Saturday's cyclone appears to have extended over a large area, especially to the southward of Brisbane, and the aggregate damage was very considerable. The gale was very severely felt at Southport and the Tweed River. Several shipping casualties occurred at the latter place. The schooner Bellinger was also driven ashore on Stradbroke Island, but the crew all landed safely. She has a cargo of 45,000ft. of cedar.

Heavy showers fell here last night and this morning, and there was reason to fear a flood; but, although there is a very strong fresh in the river, there has been no material rise. The weather to-night is fine.

The quantity of sugar exported from the various ports of Queensland from the 1st of March to the 21st April was 176 tons, making a total of 31,734 tons since the commencement of the season.

The steamer Dickey, from Townsville, arrived in Moreton Bay, and is reported to have grounded between St. Helena and Mud Island. The report is not yet confirmed.

SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

ADELAIDE, MONDAY.

A very large deputation, comprising the members of all the religious denominations, including several ladies, waited on the Chief Secretary, Mr. Kingston, this morning to oppose the proclamation of a public holiday on the Adelaide Cup day. Mr. Kingston replied that he would bring the whole matter under the notice of his colleagues, and, if possible, would grant the request; but, if the Government deemed it their duty to adhere to the present position, they would maintain it.

Inspector Bestley, of Port Augusta, has received a report from the constable stationed at Diamantina that a stockman on Pandy Pandy station named John O'Brien went to hunt up horses on the 15th March. As he was missing, a search was made, and on the 17th his body was found in a shallow waterhole in the Diamantina close to the station.

The Treasurer has not yet received from the New South Wales Government a reply to the deputation of Adelaide merchants which waited on the Treasurer of New South Wales a fortnight ago relative to the new method of collecting Customs duties at Barrier, which acts so detrimentally to the interests of the Adelaide merchants. Much anxiety is felt in Adelaide as to what position the New South Wales Government will assume.

Dr. Elliott, the medical superintendent of the late Elder Exploration party, attended a meeting of the Geographical Society to-day, and explained privately his reasons for resigning.

News was received here to-day of the death at Menzie's Hotel, Melbourne, of Mr. Abraham Abrahams, of South Australia, well known in business circles and as judge of art. He was 79 years of age, and was noted for his many acts of benevolence.

The Hon. J. H. Angas has shipped seven prize cattle to compete at the show to be held at Sydney shortly.

The R.M.S. Orotava passed Cape Borda (inward) at 10.40 p.m.

LITTLE'S PHENYLE.

Disinfectants prevent typhoid, &c. Sold everywhere wholesale. The Australian Drug Company, O'Connell-street, Sydney.—[ADVT.]

WESTERN AUSTRALIA.

PERTH, MONDAY

Robert Daniels, who escaped from the Colonial Hospital, has been found drowned in the river at Perth. Daniels escaped from the hospital in a state of delirium while suffering from typhoid.

COUNTRY NEWS.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENTS.)

COONABARABRAN, MONDAY.

The entries for the forthcoming show are very satisfactory. Large numbers of visitors are arriving. The Hon. the Postmaster-General, accompanied by Messrs. Sheldon and Darnley, leave to-morrow night.

COOTAMUNDRA, MONDAY.

The wife of Mr. John F. Barnes, M.L.A. for Gundagai, died this morning. She leaves a family mostly grown up.

CROOKWELL, MONDAY.

A sitting of the local Land Board was held here on Thursday and Friday last. A large number of cases in the Goulburn and Gunning land districts were dealt with.

At a meeting of the committee of the Pastoral and Agricultural Association on Saturday evening it was resolved to make numerous improvements to the show grounds, including an enlargement of the horse ring, the erection of a grand stand, and the increasing of the number of cattle pens, &c., the whole to cost over £300. The financial position of the association was satisfactory on the whole. The indebtedness of £300 with which the association started in 1891 has been wiped off. At the close of the agricultural meeting Mr. George M'Donald introduced the subject of forming a fruitgrowers' association for Crookwell. The matter was warmly taken up, and promises to be carried to a successful issue.

The rainfall last month was only 1in. in Crookwell and 85 points in Binda. The want of rain is being very much felt. The grass has altogether disappeared, and the prospects for stock during the winter are gloomy. The supply of milk to the butter factories is falling off. The rapidly continued dry weather is likely to seriously affect the amount of land under crops this year as the farmers are unable to plough. Many paddocks that have laid idle for several years were to have been ploughed, but it is impossible at present to get the plough into the ground. Nearly every day there are indications of rain, but little falls. This evening a few light showers fell.

GRETA, MONDAY.

A rifle match was held on Saturday between the Branxton Reserves and the 2nd Maitland Reserves, six a side, and seven shots each at 500 and 600 yards. Branxton won by 19 points. The scores were—Branxton, 297; Maitland, 278.

GOSFORD, MONDAY.

Mr. Alfred Lay, railway stationmaster, had a most fortunate escape from an accident to-day. It appears that after attending to his duties in connection with the arrival of the Sydney train this morning, Mr. Lay passed across the line as the engine was being shunted. The buffer struck him on the left side, throwing him several feet away, fortunately clear of the engine. He escaped with a severe shaking and a few bruises.

GOULBURN, MONDAY.

Dr. Lanigan, Roman Catholic Bishop of Goulburn, paid a formal visit to the Catholic schools in the city to-day, and was presented with addresses of welcome from the children of the various schools on his return from a prolonged visit to Ireland and Rome. The schools in connection with the two local convents and Patrician Brothers' schools were visited, and in each instance his lordship was extended a hearty reception.

Quodling, a Sydney cyclist, attempted to cover the 100-mile record from Braidwood to Goulburn on Saturday, but failed to accomplish the task, doing the journey in 8 hours 58 minutes.

INVERELL, MONDAY.

The revenue received last week at the local land office amounted to nearly £8000.

The Land Board began a two days' sitting this morning.

MOAMA, MONDAY.

The local Customs revenue for the quarter ended 31st March was £2475.

The Right Rev. Dr. Linton, Bishop of Riverina, preached to a large congregation morning and evening yesterday. He confirmed 11 candidates.

MURRURUNDI, MONDAY.

The amount collected at the Crown lands office, Murrurundi, during the quarter ended the 31st March, was £10,530 18s 5d. Of this sum £9626 was collected during the month of March.

Acting-Gaoler Gall has been discharged from the police force in connection with the escape from gaol of a prisoner named Bridge.

NEWCASTLE, MONDAY.

A married woman named Mrs. Jack, a resident of Council-street, died last night from the effects of burns caused by her clothes having caught fire.

Shortly before 1 o'clock on Sunday morning a fire broke out on the premises of Mr. David Allan, bootmaker, of Nelson-street, Wallsend. Owing to the promptitude of the firemen the flames were extinguished before much damage was done. Mr. Allan's stock and machinery were insured in the Mercantile Mutual Office for £400, and also in the New Zealand Office for £400. One shop was rented by Mr. J. P. Tyler, containing furniture, and much damage was done, but it is covered by insurance in the New Zealand office.

Mr. W. Laidley has sent a cheque for £21 to the Wallsend and Plattsburg family relief fund.

Sells's circus opened to-night to a densely-packed audience.

STROUD, MONDAY.

Considerable excitement has been caused in the Stroud district by the opening up of a large part of the Barrington goldfield. There were no less than 41 applications received, and £901 was paid in deposits, survey fees, &c. There were four ballots, and there were as many 10 applicants for the same land. All the business went off quite smoothly and satisfactorily under the management of the local land agent, an assistant from Maitland, and the local surveyor. Much more country of the same high-class character remains to be taken, and it is expected that there will be a further demand for land. The country was flooded at the time, and some persons were unable to get in to the meeting, whilst many were delayed in getting back.

TAREE, MONDAY.

The Wingham show has been postponed for one month owing to the inclemency of the weather.

The local Land Board, under the presidency of Mr. Vernon, is holding meetings all over the district.

WINGHAM, MONDAY.

For the extraordinary vacancy in the municipal council James Lyon and William Bird have been nominated.

SHOCK OF EARTHQUAKE IN VICTORIA.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

MELBOURNE, MONDAY.

A shock of earthquake was felt at 9 o'clock on Saturday morning at Yea. Houses were swayed, the water rose in waves on the river, and at times there was a crashing sound as if of giant trees being uprooted, and then crashing down together. The shock was felt in all parts of the district. Nothing approaching it in violence is remembered in the memory of the oldest resident. The direction of the shock appeared to be from north to south.

THE DROWNING FATALITY IN BAKER'S CREEK.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

HILLGROVE, MONDAY.

The body of Mrs. Pastoors, who was accidentally drowned by the upsetting of a buggy in Baker's Creek, was found at 7 o'clock this morning. An inquest on the body, and also on the body of a girl, 7 years old, who was also drowned at the same time, was held this afternoon, and in each case a verdict of accidental death was returned.

SUICIDE AT BATHURST.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

BATHURST, MONDAY.

Mr. John Stapleton, landlord of the Metropolitan Hotel, was found this morning with his throat cut. The wound had, apparently, been inflicted with a penknife. When discovered, the man was in a half-standing posture in a loose box adjoining a stable. He was quite dead. It is stated that he had lately suffered from mental depression. An inquest was held before Mr. Graham, P.M., the coroner, and a verdict was returned that the deceased committed suicide while labouring under temporary insanity.

THE WEATHER.

ABATEMENT OF THE FLOODS.

EFFECTS OF THE LATE GALE.

After clearing to the east and N.E. on Sunday night, the wind held steady yesterday, and the day proved fine. Some rain fell on the northern coast, but the sea last night had gone down right along the coast. The vessels reported sheltering in Trial and Byron Bays appear to have escaped the effect of the late easterly gales, but some minor disasters have occurred. Macleay Heads reports:—The schooner Victoria crossed in at 2.38 p.m., and grounded on the South Spit inside the bar, where she now lies. At the Manning a report says:—The schooner Hilda grounded on the South Spit while attempting to cross in this evening. She now lies in no immediate danger.

THE FLOOD IN THE CLARENCE.

HEAVY WEATHER ON THE COAST.

THE SCHOONER MARY LAURIE ASHORE.

LAWRENCE, MONDAY.

Heavy rain continued to fall during Friday, Saturday, and Sunday, with a heavy southerly gale which veered to the west. During the period mentioned 863 points fell. It was much heavier up the river. The river began to rise, and the water came into the lower part of the town on Sunday night. This morning the water came into a number of houses, causing the people to pack up their goods and desert their homes. The water is now at a standstill, and it is not expected to rise much higher. The wind has levelled the crops, and the water has damaged the maize very much, so that the loss will be great to the district. The telegraph lines between Maclean and Brushgrove, and Maclean and Chatsworth, are interrupted, so that communication can be obtained with Sydney only through Lawrence.

During the storm a wreck occurred 16 miles south of the Clarence Heads. This morning the following particulars were obtained from Captain Engstrom, of the schooner Mary Laurie. He left Sydney on Monday last for Camden Haven, and arrived off the heads there on Tuesday morning. The sea being heavy, the schooner had to stand off, and then ran to Trial Bay, getting there at 5 o'clock, where she remained till Wednesday, when the south-easterly gale increased in fury, and the chain snapped while trying to get the ground tackles on. The port anchor was then dropped, but it was not heavy enough to hold, and on Friday morning the vessel made for sea. While standing off on Saturday the forestay carried away, and this caused her to drift. At 11 p.m. the sky cleared, and it was noticed that she was within three-quarters of a mile of the shore. The sails were immediately set to go off the shore, but owing to the heavy sea, and the vessel being in light ballast, she ran ashore, where she now lies out of danger, and very little injured. The captain found a track in the bush which led him to Talloumbi station, whence Mr. Waugh, owner of the station, directed him to Maclean. The schooner is in the timber trade, being the property of Joseph Laurie and the captain. The schooner is uninsured. The Kallatina has been off the Clarence bar since 9 this morning, being unable to cross owing to the current running out. The Wyrallah has been barbound since Friday.

GRAFTON, MONDAY.

The river has now risen higher than was anticipated, its height being 21ft. 6in., or 5½ft. lower than that of the great flood of 1890. The lower portions of the city are flooded, numbers of people being obliged to remove. Last night the water entered several business places in the main street, but precautions had been taken to remove stocks to places above flood level, so that but little direct loss is sustained. The water is flowing over the approaches on the Dobie-street bridge, but communication is maintained across Alumny Creek by the new bridge in Pound-street.

At South Grafton a considerable number of business places and private dwellings are flooded, but the effects were removed before the intrusion of the water.

The back waters are still rising, but the river has fallen several inches at Grafton, and about 5ft. at Copmanhurst.

Farmers are heavy losers, and this flood following so closely on the great flood of 1890, and the loss of crop in 1887, means a loss to numbers of three crops in five years, which makes their position rather trying.

The weather is still unsettled, with heavy showers falling.

THE FLOOD AT LISMORE.

A MAN DROWNED.

LISMORE, MONDAY.

The heavy rain at the latter end of last week culminated in one of the highest floods ever experienced here. From Friday till Saturday morning 6in. 80 points fell, of which 4½in. were recorded during Friday night from midnight till after daylight. The wind blew with hurricane force between the south-east and east all Saturday. Rain fell in a succession of heavy showers, the wind veering round nearly north-east. The river rose steadily during the day, and at 6 o'clock it was 24ft., and was then rising at the rate of 9in. an hour. Towards midnight it rose nearly a foot per hour, slackening towards daylight, and gradually lessening until at 11 o'clock the rate was only 2in. an hour. Old residents say that the river was within 1in. of the highest previous record here. The rise was so rapid during the night that many people did not get packed up before the water overtook them, and a good deal of furniture was damaged. Several stores also suffered, but to what extent is not yet known.

The police boat visited the low-lying localities on Saturday, advising persons on the flooded sites to remove. Many did so, and are occupying the courthouse. The police, assisted by a flood boat manned by members of the fire brigade, were busily engaged removing people on Sunday. The courthouse is crowded. All the hotels are full. A very strong current ran from the bridge downwards, the weight of water coming from Leicester's Creek. The current round the A.J.S. Bank ran like a mill race. Every house along Woodlark and Molesworth streets, except the Joint Stock and Commercial Banks, had the water over the floors. The post and telegraph office had 20 inches on the floor. The *Northern Star* office had 18 inches in front of the office and 4½ft. in the machinery-room. It is reported that a small building went down the stream bodily until, striking the pier of the bridge, it collapsed and went to pieces. From the height attained by the water the damage to the crops throughout the district must be considerable. Most of the late maize at Wilson's and Cooper's Creeks, it is feared, will have suffered heavily. An iron goods shed on Nicholl's wharf, recently used by the North Coast Company, was carried away.

A high flood was experienced on Sunday, reaching within 1in. of the highest level record. It attained its greatest height at 2 p.m. The river is down 4ft. this morning.

An old man named Philip Russell has been drowned.

A house owned by Mr. Renn, near Cottes' sawmills, was carried away bodily a distance of a quarter of a mile. It was left almost intact. Several other sheds were shifted.

The main streets are now (6 p.m.) clear. The water in the river has fallen altogether 9ft. The highest level taken by Fawcett's Bridge gauge was 36ft. 9in. Latest accounts say that several householders who, it was feared, would have a good deal of furniture damaged, managed to get it packed above the flood water.

A telegram to-day states that the steamer Coraki rode out the gale safely in Byron Bay. It was welcome news.

THE FLOOD AT KEMPSEY.

THE SCHOONER VICTORIA AGROUND.

KEMPSEY, MONDAY.

The river rose at Bellbrook yesterday to 27ft., and at Kempsey wharf to 20ft. The Lower Macleay is for the most part under water. A rescue party went out in a flood-boat yesterday, and removed a number of persons to a place of safety. The river commenced to fall at Bellbrook late last night, and is now 20ft., falling slowly. The weather commenced to break yesterday afternoon. Since then it has been showery. All traffic has been stopped owing to the "sea" of water below Kempsey.

The river at Bellbrook is now 16ft., and is going down slowly here. The back water up the creeks is still rising, and is over Belgrave-street, between West and Central Kempsey. A number of boats are out to-day over the Frederickton-road and the farms on either side. The rainfall the last four days was 6½in. Reports from the Upper Macleay state that the damage is very slight. The winter feed has greatly increased from the rains.

Two schooners came into the Macleay this afternoon, the Mabel White and the Victoria. The latter got aground on the spit, and still remains there.

All the vessels which were weather-bound in Trial Bay left to-day. It is generally hoped that the worst is over now, although the weather is still very unsettled, with occasional showers.

THE GALE AT CORAKI.

CORAKI, MONDAY.

A gale broke over on Saturday night, but rain continued till Sunday at noon. The river rose rapidly at all points. It was 20ft. here this morning and over the banks. A large tract of country is under water. The maize and cane crop must suffer very severely, especially the maize. Many families will be driven from their homes, and distress in many instances must result. Supplies of all kinds are very short, flour and potatoes being unobtainable.

The steamer Coraki was outside during the gale. There are no tidings of her yet. The bar is now smooth, but the run out is terrific. The entrance will not be navigable for some days on account of the fresh. The flood will do great damage inside, but will secure a good channel.

ADELONG, MONDAY.

The weather is exceedingly dry at present. The outlook is very serious indeed. Stock are dying freely on the common, which is undoubtedly one of the best in the colony. The total rain[illegible] ruary and March was 1in. 28 points.

Extensive bush fires are raging on [illegible] Hills run, and much damage has been [illegible] is sorely needed.

BALLINA, MONDAY.

The wind and rain have nearly abated. The floods on the upper river are the highest known. The South Spit has been washed away, leaving an opening nearly two miles wide. An immense rush of muddy water is running out. 20 inches of rain fell during March, and 8½ inches during the first three days of April.

The steamer Coraki came off the bar to-day, and is reported all well. She returned to Byron Bay.

The steamers Tomki, Wyoming, Union, and the schooner Monarch are still inside. All telegraph communication has been interrupted for two days. No Sydney mails have come to hand for the last three days. Slight showers continue to fall.

FERNMOUNT, MONDAY.

The river is going down fast. No considerable damage has been done, but a big flood has been narrowly escaped. The weather is still unsettled.

GRETA, MONDAY.

Heavy showers fell yesterday and on Saturday.

GOSFORD, MONDAY.

To-day the weather is clearing.

GUNNING, MONDAY.

A thunderstorm passed over the town this afternoon. Heavy showers have fallen, and over 1in. has been registered.

KIAMA, MONDAY.

Rain commenced here about midday yesterday, and it continued showery during the afternoon. Heavy rain fell at intervals last night. The quantity registered at the local observatory in the 24 hours up to 9 a.m. this morning was 143 points. On the 1st and 2nd instant the rainfall was 54 and 19 points respectively. To-night at 9.30 rain is falling copiously, but the strong wind has ceased and the sea has gone down.

MURRURUNDI, MONDAY.

Good rains fell last week. The weather is still unsettled, with prospects of more rain.

NEWCASTLE, MONDAY.

The weather is now beautiful and fine, and the sea is smooth.

NEW ANGLEDOOL, MONDAY.

The weather continues dry, and rain is badly wanted. The frontages are very bare.

NARRANDERA, MONDAY.

The weather here continues dry. There is not the slightest sign of rain. The days are hot and the nights and mornings cool. Grass and water are very scarce. A large number of stock are perishing. Many farmers and selectors around the district have to cart water for household purposes a distance of seven and 10 miles. Everything on the farms is at a standstill, and it is impossible to get the crops in till it rains. The following is the record of the rainfall:—March, 45 points on three wet days; total since the 1st of January, 2in. 8 points, on nine wet days. During the corresponding date in 1891, 9in. 7 points fell on 13 wet days, and in 1890, 6in. 87 points on 13 wet days. The rainfall for the last six months was only 5in. 17 points, and for the corresponding period of 1890 and 1891, 14in. 51 points.

ROBERTSON, MONDAY.

The weather to-day was warm, with alternate light showers and sunshine.

STROUD, MONDAY.

The rainfall is almost unprecedented. The mails from Sydney were nine hours late, and no other mails have arrived for several days.

SCONE, MONDAY.

The weather is still unsettled. Forty points have been registered since last report, and it now seems like clearing. The wind is very light, inclining to S.E.

TENTERFIELD, MONDAY.

The heavy rain continued yesterday. The total rainfall since Saturday morning has been 378 points. At Tabulam 591 points fell in the same time. The Drake mail has not arrived yet. It is probably delayed by swollen creeks.

TAREE, MONDAY.

Rain has been falling off and on for the last week, and since Thursday last the river has been in strong flood. It rose over 10ft. at Taree, 20ft. at Wingham, and 35ft. at Woodside. It commenced to subside yesterday. The low lands are covered, and there has been great destruction of crops. The overland mails from Sydney have not arrived since Wednesday night last, on account of the flooded creeks. Three mails are now due.

The steamer Electra, which arrived yesterday week, has been delayed ever since by the weather, and was taken down the river opposite Glenthorne to escape the full force of the current.

TAREE, MONDAY.

The weather is moderating.

WAGGA, MONDAY.

The weather was warm yesterday and to-day. The thermometer on Sunday registered 90° in the shade, and to-day 92°. The river is falling. It was 1ft. 8in. above summer level this morning.

WILCANNIA, MONDAY.

Reports from Warwick (Q.) state that the river rose 13ft. at Killarney in six hours, and it is still rising fast. It is raining heavily there, 2 inches 15 points having fallen since 9 a.m. on Saturday. Emu Vale reports that the river has risen 8ft., and is still rising. There also it is raining heavily.

YASS, MONDAY.

Slight showers fell here this evening, and heavy rain has been falling round the district.

THE BROKEN HILL WATER SUPPLY.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

ADELAIDE, MONDAY.

The Railway Commissioners have asked the Government to notify the New South Wales Government that the supply of water in the Mungary Reservoir is fast failing, and it cannot be stated with any definiteness how long the water may hold out against the strain of two trains per day, equal to 50,000 gallons; but in a little over two weeks' time new sources of supply will have to be resorted to for supplying the needs of Broken Hill.

THE RABBIT PEST IN RIVERINA.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

WAGGA, MONDAY.

A petition is about to be presented to the Minister for Lands by the residents of the district, setting forth that the rabbit pest is increasing to such an extent that unless vigorous means are forthwith adopted to prevent the spread of the rabbits the whole country will be rendered useless. One of the clauses of the petition embodies a request that the district will be at once proclaimed rabbit-infested under section 12 of the Rabbit Act, 1890. Another petition is to be presented, praying the Government to render rabbit-proof the fencing of the railway line running from Albury to Wagga, and thence along the line to Young to connect with that decided some time since from Bourke to Blayney. This will give an idea of the extent of the pest. It is stated that the signatures of large and small holders, representing half a million acres of land, were obtained to the petitions during the forenoon of Saturday in town in about an hour.

THE INSPECTION OF LIGHTHOUSES.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR SPECIAL REPORTER.)

KIAMA, MONDAY.

The steamer Bega, with the Marine Board party on board, arrived at Montague Island on Sunday afternoon. Everything was found in good order, and all the people were well. Shoalhaven was sighted early this morning. Pilot Bishop signalled that the steamer could not come to Bega owing to heavy weather, but everything at the lighthouse was satisfactory. The Bega arrived at Kiama at 8.30 a.m., and the party inspected the lighthouse. The Bega will probably reach Sydney Heads about 4.30 p.m. to-day, and will proceed north to-night. She will touch at Seal Rocks on Tuesday, and should reach the Clarence River on Wednesday.

DISCOVERY OF HUMAN REMAINS.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

FERNMOUNT, MONDAY.

The body of a man was found on the southern beach near Bellinger Heads yesterday evening minus the head, arms, and legs. It is thought to have been some months buried in the sand, and to have been uncovered by the recent heavy sea. There were no clothes on the trunk. The police have gone out. There is no wreckage along the beach.

PASTORAL INTELLIGENCE.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENTS.)

COONAMBLE, MONDAY.

Stock Movements.—6000 wethers from Pirrilly Station, Bourke, to Narraway, T. P. Fagan owner, Smiles in charge; 4500 mixed sheep from Wagga Wagga to selections near Walgett, Kennedy and Bell owners; 1450 ewes from Carwell to Homebush, via Nevertire, E. W. Severne owner, Bloodworth in charge; 1700 fat ewes from Mungrabambone Station to Homebush, via Nevertire, J. H. Maclean owner, Maclean in charge; 4800 mixed weaners from Rawdon Station, Rylstone to Gum Holes Station, Coonamble, Cox Bros. owners, R. H. Faulkner in charge; 2500 mixed sheep from The Overflow, near Warren, to Eurobla selections, T. Mackay owner, Mackay in charge; 1500 mixed sheep from selections, Magomodine, Coonamble, to Homebush, via Rylstone, Rigney Bros. owner, M'Dermott in charge; 1500 mixed sheep from selections, Magomodine, Coonamble, to Homebush, via Rylstone, Rigney Bros. owners, Rigney in charge.

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AMUSEMENTS.

"CASTE."

"Caste" was revived at the Criterion Theatre under the same conditions which contributed to the success of the original production at this house rather more than two years ago. At the close of that long season of Robertsonian comedy, the 15th February, 1890, it was referred to as the most memorable first night witnessed at any Sydney playhouse for many a long day; and last night in every respect repeated the triumphs of that eventful evening. It is, of course, pleasant to think that, since Mr. Anson has determined to leave us, he should make his farewell appearances in his best character as Eccles, and right well did the popular comedian deserve the ringing cheers with which he was greeted. But over and above this remains the fact that "Caste" is the best-played piece Messrs. Brough and Boucicault have ever staged—which is the same as saying that the performance would be regarded as remarkable in London itself. Each member of the company is seen in a fine part, and of the seven principals engaged, six may be said to have done nothing better in any other piece. We say "six," because though Miss E. Romer gives a very finished picture of the Marquise de St. Maur, the part is not of first-rate importance; and, indeed, this accomplished actress has but lately resigned a similar character which gave her much greater scope. Lady Mathilda Vavasour in "New Men and Old Acres" might have been suggested by the "Mar-quizzy"—to quote Papa Eccles—in "Caste," for Tom Taylor's comedy was staged two years later than Robertson's, namely, in October, 1869.

Last night's success is thus especially satisfactory, in view of the fact that it was not due to Mr. Anson's fine acting alone, but to the ensemble; and it may be confidently stated in this connection that after the present run it is not probable that as fine a cast will ever be furnished in Australia again. Perhaps some such feeling inspired last night's enthusiasm. It was not this alone which was so remarkable, however. The audience was deeply stirred, and proved responsive to the tears and laughter of the mimic stage with surprising readiness. There was, indeed, scarcely a dry eye during the pathetic scenes of the third act, where all the actors in turn touched the right chord—Sam Gerridge, where he gets "the water in his meter" as surely as any, in spite of the obtrusive vulgarity of the character. It seems strange to reflect that a comedy like this, in which the author, within the narrow limits of the everyday plane to which he always confines his endeavours, shows a tactful knowledge of his audience which almost amounts to genius, should have taken anything but the first place in the Bancroft repertoire. That Robertson himself regarded it as his masterpiece is probable from the dedication "to Marie Wilton (Mrs. Bancroft) by her grateful friend and fellow-labourer, the author"—for he could hardly do less than wish to give the talented actress of his best. But London playgoers seem to have preferred the milk-and-water common-places of "School." This comedy was played 800 times, whilst "Caste" was performed on 650 nights only. In the provinces, however, there is a different tale to tell, and we know from the account given by Mr. E. Sass of his 700 appearances as Captain Hawtrey, that "Caste" stood first in the estimation of the audiences who witnessed the Robertsonian pieces elsewhere than in London.

Mr. Anson's Eccles has the first claim upon attention, though the actor's method in it is now so generally familiar that the day for detailed criticism is past. Beery, blear-eyed, dirty, and unkempt, the figure of Papa Eccles shambles forward to the front rank as recollection runs along the row of characters that "live and move and have their being" in this rare play. "That walking taproom, that rinsing of stale beer," as Hawtree dubbed him, is wonderfully shown by Mr. Anson, who recreates the character in a way which no other actor on the English stage can do. Mr. Sass appeared for the first time here as Captain Hawtree, the man who "didn't pretend to be a good sort of a fellow, and didn't pretend to be a bad sort of a fellow." His success was unequivocal, and this actor in Hawtree undoubtedly gives the most finished piece of work he has furnished since he came to Australia. Mr. Sass was perfectly dressed and made up for the part, and represented to the life the type of heavy "swell" who was the vogue 20 years ago—a much slower and heavier individual than the exquisite of to-day. Mr. Brough, as Sam Gerridge, was so much in character that he seemed to exale putty, and the one touch of pathos already referred to was admirable. Mr. Lyndal played with frankness and feeling as D'Alroy, and his bearing was gallant. Mrs. Brough has improved upon her original reading of Esther, excellent as it was; her pathos touches subtler tones, and her denunciation of the Marquise carries greater weight. Miss Pattie Brown's Polly Eccles is also riper than it was, and the young actress quite carried the house away with the charm of her vivacity; and the hysterical outburst at D'Alroy's return moved many to tears. Miss Romer sustained the excellence of the ensemble as the Marquise; and Mr. Findlay completed the cast as Dixon. The house was demonstrative, and all the actors were effusively called and re-called during the evening.

TRADES MOVEMENTS.

The second annual reunion in connection with the New South Wales Boot Manufacturers' Association was yesterday very successfully held at the Sir Joseph Banks Grounds, Botany. About 50 couples were present, and as the weather was favourable, a very enjoyable day was spent. Upon arrival the visitors partook of an oyster luncheon, and at 2.30 they sat down to an excellently prepared banquet. Several toasts, including "Success to the Association," "The Visitors," "Ladies," &c., were proposed and responded to. Dancing was indulged in during the greater portion of the day to selections contributed by the Alhambra string band. Various sports, which created considerable interest, were engaged in during the afternoon, and the party returned to town at dusk.

A successful smoke concert, in connection with the Journeymen Hairdressers' Union, was held last evening at the Temperance Hall. Mr. Turner (president of the union) occupied the chair, and about 200 of those engaged in the trade were present. Several delegates of the Trades and Labour Council, including Messrs. J. Wilson (president), R. M'Kilop, G. Dyson, and E. H. Burgess, addressed the meeting on the benefits to be obtained by the organisation of labour, and called upon all those present who were not members of the union to at once join. A good musical programme was gone through, and among the items most deserving of notice were, "I'll Conquer or Die" by Mr. Plowright, a piano solo by Mr. J. White, and a comic song, "The Vanishing Lady," by Mr. J. Davis.

The dispute between the Cutters and Trimmers' Union and the firm of Messrs. Wallace and Co. continues. There were no new developments yesterday.

PUBLICATIONS RECEIVED.

From Edwards, Dunlop, and Co. we have received a copy of the seventh thousand of "The Black Police," an Australian story, by A. J. Vogan, which has already been noticed in these columns (Hutchinson and Co., London); also, pamphlets on "Christian Baptism," by James Tyeth Hart (Eliot Stock, London), and "The People's Heritage," being a history of land tenure by T. O'Reilly (Maclardy, Sydney). The lastnamed arranges the information on its subject rather skilfully to show from the writer's point of view that the English peasant of to-day is the slave of unjust social conditions which are of necessity inexorably cruel. He rapidly traces the development of their conditions through Roman, Saxon, Danish, Norman, and feudal influences, reacted upon by the repudiation of feudal obligations; and in giving a statement of the growth of the National Debt, he says incidentally that the cost of England's small wars from the Crimea to 1886 reached £56,625,522. He argues that a tax on land values is the cure for what is bad in existing social conditions. From the same publishers we have also a volume of Dr. Perowne's Cambridge Bible, being "The Book of Psalms—Book I."; and "The Story of Australian Bushranging," by C. White (C. and G. S. White, Bathurst).

"The Kanaka Labour Traffic to Queensland" is the title of a leaflet embodying the protest of the Presbyterian Church of Victoria and the Rev. J. G. Paton, D.D., of the New Hebrides Mission, against the renewal of the labour traffic in that colony. Mr. Paton's correspondence with Sir Samuel Griffith, and that gentleman's reply, in which the blame is laid on "the insensate action of the labour party," are given here, together with Mr. Paton's appeal and protest on the subject.

"Social Reform by Authority in India," by Frederic Pincott, M.R.A.S. (T. Fisher Unwin, London), is a pamphlet discussing the operation of the Indian Age of Consent Act, disapproving of the age-limit enacted, and deprecating wholesale charges hurled by thoughtless enthusiasts against one-sixth of the inhabitants of the globe.

From Turner and Henderson, Hunter-street, we have received a neat little volume entitled "Sir Roger de Coverley," being selections from the *Spectator*, edited with an introduction and notes by A. B. Piddington, B.A., lecturer in English at the Sydney University. The little book, which is dedicated to the memory of the late Dr. Badham, includes the papers in which Addison sketched the character of the Spectator and those in which the character of the good old knight is portrayed; and there is also a very readable and sympathetic paper by the editor on "Addison and Steele." Appended is a collection of notes on the text, in the compilation of which the editor has shown his taste and familiarity with the fascinating literature of his delightful subject. The text gives well-selected examples of the *Spectator's* well-known style, and the whole work is done in a manner worthy of its subject. Mr. Piddington does his taste credit in this little book, which the publishers offer as the first step in the direction of educational publishing, to which they are now giving special attention.

An ink for writing upon glass or porcelain is made by dissolving 10 parts of bleached shellac and five parts Venetian turpentine in 15 parts of oil of turpentine, by immersing the containing vessel in warm water. After solution is effected, five parts of lamp-black are incorporated.

A SLIGHT cold often proves the forerunner of a complaint which may be fatal. Avoid this result by taking Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, the best remedy for colds, coughs, and all throat and lung diseases.—[ADVT.]

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SPORTING INTELLIGENCE.

THE TURF.

The Moorefield pony and galloway meeting, postponed from Thursday last owing to the inclemency of the weather, takes place to-day on the conveniently-situated course near Kogarah. The ordinary traffic by rail will be supplemented by special trains leaving Redfern at 11.50 a.m. (horses), 12.40, 1.5, and 1.35 p.m. The opening event is set down for 2.15 p.m., and the final for 5 p.m., so that visitors can return to the city in good time.

The weights for the minor handicaps to be decided on the second day of the Hawkesbury Autumn Meeting were issued yesterday forenoon, and Mr. Scarr's adjustments are published elsewhere in this issue. Oxenham heads the list of those engaged in the Shorts Handicap, with 9st 5lb; but he is reported to be lame, and those who appear to have been treated with a shade of leniency are Dutch Hoe, Pastmaster, and Meteorite. Dearest, Danton, and Winton have not been overburdened for the Sportsman's Handicap, and Dutch Hoe, Goodnight, Rose Stella, and Pastmaster seem to be about the best off in the Welter.

The Scholar, Ascot Vale, and My Birthday were yesterday struck out of the A.J.C. St. Leger.

After the trotting race meeting to be held under the management of the Sydney Driving Park Club to-morrow, there will be a cessation of that class of sport at Moore Park until Saturday, the 30th instant, as the Royal Agricultural Society's show will occupy the grounds in the interval.

The scratchings notified in connection with the Moorefield pony and galloway meeting are as under:—Flying Handicap: Content. Blakehurst Handicap: Agility, Sapphire. Tempe Handicap: Little Clare, Agility, Fleetwing. Galloway Handicap: Nolan and Content.

A trotting and race meeting takes place at Lillie Bridge Grounds to-morrow evening. Special trams will run to Forest Lodge as usual.

Impulse, Hurrah, and Alexander were yesterday withdrawn from the Autumn Handicap, and Pro-Consul and Juan from all engagements in connection with the Hawkesbury Autumn Reunion.

So as not to clash with the Moorefield meeting, the Liverpool Pony and Galloway Club have postponed their reunion set down for to-day, until Friday next. The bill of fare to be discussed at the meeting to be held under the management of the aforesaid institution on the 13th instant is published in our business columns, and will be found worthy of perusal by owners and trainers of small horses.

The settlement of liabilities incurred at the first day's racing in connection with the autumn meeting of the Hawkesbury Race Club passed off satisfactorily at Tattersall's Club rooms yesterday. During the day the Hawkesbury Handicap attracted some attention, and Tridentine received strong support, backers laying 5 to 4 on the well-performed daughter of Somnus. Rover had friends, who accepted 6 to 1, and 8 to 1 was taken about Dick, while 10 to 1 could be got about any other. A fair amount of business was transacted on the A.J.C. Doncaster Handicap, for which Helene was most in demand, and she shortened in the market from 100 to 10 to 100 to 12 taken and offered. Wild Rose advanced to 100 to 10, all the money at 100 to 8 having been booked; 100 to 8 was taken and offered about Trieste; and St. Blaize was quoted at 100 to 5 taken and offered. There was very little business done on the Sydney Cup, and the best offer was 4 to 1 on the field; 7 to 1 was on offer against G'Naroo, and a small line at 10 to 1 was written against Forty Winks.

Mr. H. Goldspink, the well-known sportsman, who has been visiting India, and was present at the principal race meetings held at Calcutta, Lucknow, and Bombay during the last four months, returned to Sydney yesterday, looking all the better for his trip.

The general entry for the A.J.C. Autumn reunion closed yesterday with a total of 542 nominations for the 18 events that required attention. The entry shows a decrease of six when compared with those of last year, and the falling-off has been locally, for the Victorian sportsmen have come forward with more liberality than for some years past. The events that show an increase on last year's entry are the Autumn Stakes (2), Flying Handicap (1), Maiden Stakes (2), All-Aged Stakes (10), Cumberland Stakes (1), City Handicap (9), Rous Handicap (5), Place Handicap (2), Steeplechase (8), and Final Handicap (11); while those that exhibit a decrease are Hurdle Race (4), Mutual Selling Plate (18), Selling Plate (3), First Nursery Handicap (4), Two Years Old Plate (6), Welter Handicap (7), and A.J.C. Plate (1). The nominations are distributed as under:—Hurdle Race, 13; Autumn Stakes, 10; Mutual Selling Plate, 25; Flying Handicap, 60; Maiden Stakes, 21; Selling Plate, 28; First Nursery Handicap, 40; Two Years Old Plate, 14; All Aged Stakes, 17; Welter Handicap, 52; Cumberland Stakes, 8; City Handicap, 50; Rous Handicap, 29; Place Handicap, 35; Steeplechase, 18; Second Nursery Handicap, 39; A.J.C. Plate, 10; and Final Handicap, 73. The horses engaged include a number of equine heroes, among whom may be mentioned such performers as Marvel, Bungebah, Highborn, Tridentine Strathmore, Zalinski, G'Naroo, Wild Rose, Portsea, Tirailleur, Paris, Helena, Stromboli, Autonomy, Trieste, Camoola, Oxide, Birinji, Lady Edda, Magic Circle, Warpaint, La Tosca, Dutch Hoe, and Vespasia. The full list of entries appears in another part of this issue. As usual a couple of nominations were received too late for acceptance—Lord Prix and Brighton for the Final Handicap.

The first forfeits for the principal handicaps of the A.J.C. meeting were declared yesterday, and the lists for both events were considerably reduced thereby. Of the 111 original entrants for the Doncaster Handicap 46 remain in, and most prominent among the malcontents are Strathmore, Zalinski, Freedom, Tirailleur, Titan, King Olaf, Annesley, Oxide, Muriel, Merriment, Corsican, La Tosca, Tirailleric, Retford, Bel Giorno, Birinji, Jack, The General, Magnus, Wynella, Killaloe, Wandsworth, Rivula, Attalus, Lady Lovel, The Markee, Lady Lisgar, and Isaac. The 53 originally nominated for the Sydney Cup have been reduced to 30, and among the most notable of the withdrawals are Malvolio, Megaphone, Sir William, Correze, King Olaf, Muriel, Pygmalion, Corsican, Penance, Retford, Ethelbert, Vespasia, Affiance, The Rebel, Governor, Wandsworth, and Melba. The list of acceptors for both events is set forth in another column.

Acacia Dam, Morben, and Conargo race meetings were granted registration by the A.J.C. yesterday.

After the race for the Railway Handicap at the Hawkesbury Meeting on Saturday, the running of Gildus formed the subject of investigation by the committee, and on consideration the matter was dismissed.

The reprehensible practice of galloping in opposite directions on the training track at Moore Park was responsible for another serious accident yesterday forenoon, when the ponies Fleetwing and Miss Serby came into violent collision, and both were killed. A lad named Brown, who had the mount on Miss Serby, had both arms broken and suffered concussion of the brain. He was removed to St. Vincent's Hospital.

At a meeting of the A.J.C. committee held yesterday afternoon, Captain Sandeman was allowed to amend the nomination of Babel by the insertion of the letters "ns." The disqualification for a period of 12 months of the racehorse Hurrah, and the jockey James Gough, by the Rosehill Racing Club, was adopted.

The A.J.C. committee have determined to adopt strong measures with the view of repressing welshing in the St. Leger reserve in future.

AUSTRALIAN JOCKEY CLUB—AUTUMN MEETING.

The following are the general entries and the acceptances for the Doncaster Handicap, Champagne Stakes, Sydney Cup, and First Biennial Stakes in connection with the above reunion, which takes place on the 16th, 18th, 21st, and 23rd April:—

FIRST DAY.

HURDLE RACE—2½ miles.

Cascade	Hero	Recluse	Red Heart
Frantic	Alarm Bell	Bettina	Escort
Canobia	Ayrshire	Clarence	

MELBOURNE ENTRIES. Tayforth, Wairua.

AUTUMN STAKES—1½ mile.

Bungebah	La Tosca	Stromboli	Highborn
Alchemist	Strathmore	Oxide	G'Naroo
Marvel			

MELBOURNE ENTRY. Portsea.

MUTUAL SELLING PLATE—1 mile.

Hornpipe	The Gift	Oxenham	Komisch
Rialto	Utter	The Markee	Insignia
Welcome	Rosette	Bonnette	Moraine
Hop Bitters	Studbook	Jack	Whitefoot
Ilander	Cremorne	The Bonce	Eileen
Lady Lovel	Hugo	Gaytime	Alcides

MELBOURNE ENTRY. Competency.

DONCASTER HANDICAP—1 mile (acceptances).

	st	lb		st	lb		st	lb
Marvel	10	4	Helene	8	0	Schoolmaster	7	0
Bungebah	9	7	Impulse	8	0	Shamrock	7	0
Stromboli	9	0	Althotas	8	0	Winifred	6	12
Wild Rose	8	11	Magic Circle	7	11	Ulric	6	11
Paris	8	11	Vespasia	7	11	Coin	6	11
Alchemist	8	9	Yarran	7	7	Proctor	6	10
Tridentine	8	9	Bendigo	7	7	The Pet Girl	6	7
Florrie	8	7	Lady Edda	7	4	Thought	6	7
			Miss Letty	7	4	Sam Weller	6	4
The Workman	8	7	Ruenalf	7	4	Denman	6	4
St. Albans II.	8	5	Utter	7	3	Emin Pasha	6	2
St. Blaize	8	5	Spy Glass	7	2	Honor Bright	6	2
Trieste	8	2	Bedtime	7	2	Mascara	6	0
Whirlwind	8	2	Melba	7	2	Ducrow	6	0
Hero	8	2	Vain Hope	7	2	Danton	6	0
Penance	8	0	Babel	7	0			

SECOND DAY.

FLYING HANDICAP—6 furlongs.

Proctor	Lady Lovel	Warpaint	Penance
Tridentine	Paris	Donation	Bonnetta
Sam Weller	Mitre	Playmate	Wild Rose
Rivula	The Pet Girl	Danton	Marvelette
Lady Edda	Utter	Brown Bess	Denman
The Swell	The Gift	Melba	Moraine
Dutch Hoe	Hero	Corsican	Duke of Kent
Messenger	La Tosca	Florrie	Babel
Welcome	Coin	Mnemosyne	Alcides
Ducrow	Thought	Idalia	Nonsense
Magic Circle	Bedtime	Cremorne	Bendigo
Glitter	Pilot Boy	Bliss	Brown and Gold
Isaac	Moonray	Carlist	Whirlwind
Sir Anthony	Arquebus	Pastmaster	

MELBOURNE ENTRIES. Winifred, Yarran, Portsea.

MAIDEN STAKES—1¼ mile.

Frills	Clontarf	The Rector	Miss Letty
Emin Pasha	Spy Glass	Albecore	Mascara
Master Grand	Orlove	Lord Jersey	Carlist
Ducrow	Bengal	Sulphide	Sulphur
Silver Knight	Ulric	Grand Jewel	Pepper
Cumino			

CHAMPAGNE STAKES—6 furlongs (acceptances).

Br c by Navigator—Mileta	B f by Oudies—Amazon	Trieste	Glitter
B c by Nordenfeldt—Sister Agnes	B f by Oudies—Latonia	Moonray	Birinji
	Mascara	Warpaint	Miss Letty
	Brightlight	Autonomy	Ducrow
		Ulric	Meli
		Camoola	

SYDNEY CUP—2 miles (acceptances).

	st	lb		st	lb		st	lb
Marvel	9	9	Oxide	7	10	Yarran	6	12
Highborn	9	4	Portsea	7	10	Dick	6	10
Strathmore	9	2	St. Blaize	7	8	Mitre	6	8
Zalinski	8	10	Forty Winks	7	6	Vain Hope	6	8
Freedom	8	10	Althotas	7	6	Eclipse	6	4
Greygown	8	8	Sunshine	7	2	Yowi	6	2
Tirailleur	8	4	Sainfoin	7	2	Gildus	6	2
G'Naroo	8	4	Helene	7	2	Bodkin	6	0
Stromboli	8	0	La Tosca	7	0	Selkirk	6	0
Alchemist	8	0	Jack	7	0	Emin Pasha	6	0

SELLING PLATE—6 furlongs.

Millie	Thought	The Markee	Komisch
Rialto	Rosette	Pastmaster	Moraine
Welcome	Studbook	Lady Mildred	Rebel
Ilander	Madeira	The Bonce	Whitefoot
Lady Lovel	Cremorne	Gaytime	Eileen
The Gift	Hugo	Re	Alcides
Utter	Oxenham	Insignia	

MELBOURNE ENTRY. Competency.

FIRST NURSERY HANDICAP—5 furlongs.

Lucinda	Money Spinner	Camoola	Hairpin
Glen Arthur	Winton	Donation	Welcome Sara
Birinji	Cannon	The Rector	Machinist
Rivula	Tres Feldt	Widden	Meli
Lady Edda	Moonray	Albecore	Candour
Queensborough	Trieste	Grand Jewel	Saraband
Ducrow	Orlove	Miss Letty	Ennistymon
Merry Pebble	Arquebus	Bliss	Ruenalf
Cumino	Autonomy	Mascara	The Crown.
Isaac	Warpaint	Fashion	

MELBOURNE ENTRY. Palo Alto.

THIRD DAY.

TWO YEARS OLD PLATE—5 furlongs.

Speedwell	Fallon	Albecore	Welcome Sara
Rivula	Orlove	Haymarket	Candour
Vangrave	The Rector	Fashion	The Crown
Isaac	Widden		

ALL AGED STAKES—1 mile.

Bungebah	Marvel	Stromboli	Trieste
Birinji	Strathmore	Autonomy	Oxide
Lady Edda	Zalinski	Ulric	Miss Letty
Ducrow	Moonray	Camoola	Ruenalf
Glitter			

WELTER HANDICAP—1 mile.

Simon	Hero	Idalia	Refuse
Belle Dame	Forty Winks	Cremorne	Moraine
Hornpipe	Thought	Carlist	Sara
Violin	Pilot Boy	Hugo	Rebel
Dutch Hoe	Bengal	The Markee	Hawley Smart
Messenger	Danton	Vain Hope	Babel
Welcome	Brown Bess	Kookaburra	Whitefoot
Ethelbert	Honor Bright	Sulphur	Escort
Silver Knight	Melba	Wynella	Eileen
Clontarf	Lord Jersey	Denman	Alcides
Mitre	Sulphide	Komisch	Nonsense
Gildus	Shamrock	Finis	Whirlwind
Spyglass	Affiance		

MELBOURNE ENTRIES. Gladstone, Portsea.

FIRST BIENNIAL STAKES—6 furlongs. (Acceptances.)

Br c, by Nordenfeldt—Sister Agnes	Isaac	Arquebus	Birinji
	Trieste	Autonomy	Miss Letty
	Moonray	Ulric	Hi'land Lassie
Mascara	Warpaint	Camoola	Kosseuth
Brightlight	Donation	Glitter	Meli

MELBOURNE ENTRY. Portsea.

CUMBERLAND STAKES—2 miles.

Alchemist	Strathmore	Stromboli	Highborn
Marvel	Zalinski	Oxide	

CITY HANDICAP—1½ mile.

Tridentine	Paris	Sulphide	G'Naroo
Bungebah	Mitre	Corsican	Wild Rose
Violin	The Workman	Florrie	Denman
Yowi	Gildus	Freedom	Bodkin
Tirailleur	Forty Winks	Helene	Vespasia
Emin Pasha	La Tosca	Fraud II.	Epsucion
Magic Circle	Coin	Vain Hope	Selkirk
Ethelbert	Stromboli	Sunshine	Refuse
Eclipse	St. Albans II.	Jack	St. Blaize
Alchemist	Dick	Killaloe	Babel
Marvel	Melba	Althotas	Bendigo
Sir Anthony	Oxide		

MELBOURNE ENTRIES. Winifred, Yarran, Portsea.

FOURTH DAY.

ROUS HANDICAP—1 mile 3 furlongs.

Sam Weller	Coin	Honor Bright	Bonnette
Welcome	Zalinski	Lord Jersey	Penance
Emin Pasha	Stromboli	Oxide	Bodkin
Silver Knight	Bengal	Sulphide	Selkirk
The Workman	Playmate	Affiance	Sara
Clontarf	Danton	Cremorne	Babel
La Tosca	Brown Bess	Sunshine	Pippin

MELBOURNE ENTRY. Yarran.

PLACE HANDICAP—1¼ mile.

Proctor	Marvel	Forty Winks	Highborn
Tridentine	Sir Anthony	La Tosca	Jack
Tirailleur	Paris	Stromboli	Althotas
Emin Pasha	Mitre	St. Albans II.	G'Naroo
Hop Bitters	Gildus	Melba	Wild Rose
Bungebah	The Pet Girl	Oxide	Bodkin
Ethelbert	Hero	Florrie	St. Blaize
Alchemist	The Gift	Helene	Bendigo

MELBOURNE ENTRIES. Yarran, Portsea, Greygown.

STEEPLECHASE—About 3 miles.

Rocket	Grandwing	Freeman	Bonnor
Carlisle	Caledonian	Egyptian	Clarence
Melton	Tekapo	Australasian	Silvershot
Grafton	Lone Jack	Singleton	

MELBOURNE ENTRIES. Jack's the Lad, Whiteman, Wellington.

SECOND NURSERY HANDICAP—6 furlongs.

Lucinda	Moneyspinner	Warpaint	Mascara
Glen Arthur	Winton	Camoola	Fashion
Birinji	Lemnos	Donation	Machinist
Rivula	Cannon	The Rector	Meli
Lady Edda	Tres Feldt	Widden	Candour
Qu'nsborough	Moonray	Albecore	Latonia
Ducrow	Trieste	Grand Jewel	Saraband
Glitter	Arquebus	Miss Letty	Ruenalf
Cumino	Autonomy	Bliss	The Crown.
Isaac	Ulric		

MELBOURNE ENTRY. Palo Alto.

A.J.C. PLATE—3 miles.

Alchemist	Strathmore	Stromboli	Highborn
Marvel	Zalinski	Oxide	Babel.
La Tosca			

MELBOURNE ENTRY. Portsea.

FINAL HANDICAP—1¼ mile.

Proctor	Paris	Melba	G'Naroo
Tridentine	Mitre	Lord Jersey	Wild Rose
Belle Dame	The Pet Girl	Sulphide	Denman
Sam Weller	Spy Glass	Corsican	Komisch
Lady Edda	Forty Winks	Freedom	Vespasia
Violin	Hero	Helene	Lustre
Dutch Hoe	The Gift	Cremorne	Finis
Tirailleur	Utter	Carlist	Refuse
Emin Pasha	La Tosca	Hugo	Moraine
Ducrow	Coin	Vain Hope	Centaur
Magic Circle	Thought	Sunshine	St. Blaize
Ethelbert	Bedtime	Jack	Babel
Silver Knight	Bengal	Kookaburra	Whitefoot
Alchemist	Playmate	Killaloe	Alcides
Sir Anthony	Danton	The Bonce	Nonsense
The Workman	Brown Bess	Wynella	Bendigo
Clontarf	Dick	Althotas	Decimal.

MELBOURNE ENTRIES. Winifred, Wild Rose, Gladstone, Yarran.

HAWKESBURY RACE CLUB AUTUMN MEETING.

Appended are the weights for the minor handicaps, to be decided on the second day of the above reunion:—

SHORTS HANDICAP, 6 furlongs.—Oxenham, 9st 5lb; Whirlwind, 9st 2lb; The Pet Girl, 8st 7lb; Result, 8st 7lb; Rivula, 8st 4lb; Sam Weller, 8st 4lb; Lady Lovel, 8st 4lb; Cremorne, 8st 2lb; Duke of Kent, 8st 2lb; Pastmaster, 8st 2lb; Alcides, 8st; Dutch Hoe, 7st 9lb; Eileen, 7st 9lb; Playmate, 7st 7lb; Moraine, 7st 7lb; Bliss, 7st 4lb; Re, 7st 4lb; Meteorite, 7st 2lb; Blacklock, 7st 2lb; Fireworks, 7st; Telephone, 7st; Miles Standish, 6st 9lb; Orlove, 6st 7lb; The Rector, 6st 7lb.

SPORTSMAN'S HANDICAP, 7 furlongs.—Result, 9st 8lb; Silver Knight, 8st 9lb; Good Night, 8st 7lb; Anarrow (late Presto), 8st 4lb; Brown Jacket, 8st; Shamrock II., 7st 11lb; Proconsul, 7st 11lb; Dearest, 7st 9lb; Cornet, 7st 9lb; Danton, 7st 7lb; Welcome, 7st 7lb; Delzelle, 7st 4lb; Cardinal, 7st 4lb; Winton, 7st; Plum Hill, 7st; Danebury, 6st 9lb; Brown and Gold, 6st 7lb.

THE WELTER, 6 furlongs.—Whirlwind, 10st 9lb; Whitefoot, 10st 7lb; Result, 10st 5lb; Hugo, 10st 3lb; Duke of Kent, 10st; Pastmaster, 10st; Silver Knight, 9st 11lb; Escort, 9st 11lb; Good Night, 9st 9lb; Denman, 9st 9lb; Dutch Hoe, 9st 7lb; Bonnie Lad, 9st 7lb; Moraine, 9st 5lb; Epsom, 9st 5lb; Juan, 9st 3lb; Rose Stella, 9st 3lb; Caprice, 9st; Sara, 9st; Blacklock, 8st 11lb; Fireworks, 8st 11lb; Bonnette, 8st 9lb; Proconsul, 8st 9lb; Welcome, 8st 7lb; Miles Standish, 8st 7lb.

SYDNEY DRIVING PARK CLUB.

The weights for the handicaps to be run to-morrow are as under:—

MINIATURE HANDICAP, ½ mile.—Tempe, 8st 11lb; Helmsman, 8st 6lb; Miss Serby, 8st 4lb; Villewood, 8st 1lb; Gallagher, 7st 12lb; Sambo, 7st 2lb; Theila, 7st; Madeline, 7st; Cheeky, 7st; Bloomsbury, 6st 7lb.

TIME HANDICAP TROT, 2 miles.—Little Snip, scratch; Ariel, scratch; Anneaux d'Or, 8 seconds behind; Phantom, 10 seconds behind; White Wings, 12 seconds behind; Sunbeam, 12 seconds behind; Charity, 14 seconds behind; Picanniny, 15 seconds behind; Silver Cloud, 20 seconds behind; Violetta Junr., 28 seconds behind; Yum Yum, 34 seconds behind.

CLUB HANDICAP, 4 furlongs 50 yards.—Dunwell, 9st 5lb; Lady Ripple, 8st 6lb; Tamouria, 7st 12lb; Playboy, 7st 9lb; Eurimbla, 7st 7lb; Nyee, 6st 10lb; Little Bernie, 6st 7lb.

FLYING HANDICAP, 6 furlongs.—Coquette, 9st 7lb; Keepsake, 8st 2lb; Kildare, 7st 12lb; Miss Dirl, 7st 12lb; Carlton, 7st 10lb; Green Boy, 7st 8lb; Bang Bang, 7st 4lb; Dunwell, 7st; Carmen, 6st 11lb; Ruth, 6st 10lb; Miss Gladstone, 6st 10lb; Daisy, 6st 7lb; Doris, 6st.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENTS.)

SINGLETON GALLOWAY AND PONY CLUB.

SINGLETON, MONDAY.

The following are the weights issued in connection with the meeting of the Singleton Galloway and Pony Club to be held on Saturday next:—

FLYING HANDICAP, 14 hands and under, 4 furlongs.—Calamity, 8st 12lb; Wildflower, 8st 7lb; Knelty, 8st 5lb; J. Powell's chestnut gelding, 8st; Rosedale, 7st 8lb; Rosanna, 7st 4lb; Ladylike, 7st 4lb; Hornet, 7st; Telegram, 7st; Ladybird, 6st 4lb; Silvia, 6st; Ouida, 6st.

MINIATURE HANDICAP, 13 hands and under, 4 furlongs.—Pearl, 8st 7lb; Valley, 8st 2lb; Broke, 7st 12lb; Bluegown, 7st 7lb; Mail Boy, 7st 5lb; Paddy, 6st 12lb; Gibraltar, 6st; Minnie Warren, 6st.

GALLOWAY HANDICAP, 14.2 hands, 5 furlongs.—Little Sister, 9st 12lb; Dozey, 9st 9lb; Calamity, 8st 7lb; Lake, 8st 4lb; Pride, 8st 2lb; V.Y., 8st; Second Lady, 7st 7lb; Whisper, 7st 7lb; Locket, 7st 4lb; Detective, 7st 4lb; Stockings, 7st; Telegram, 6st 9lb; Mullaly, 6st 9lb; Atalanta, 6st 7lb; Purple, 6st 7lb; Cissy, 6st 7lb; Lady Minnie, 6st; Narcissus, 6st.

PONY HANDICAP, 13.3 hands and under, 4 furlongs.—Calamity, 8st 12lb; Wildflower, 8st 7lb; Knelty, 8st 5lb; Rosedale, 7st 8lb; Carmen, 7st 8lb; Ladylike, 7st 4lb; Hornet, 7st 4lb; Gipsy Girl, 6st 12lb; Blossom, 6st 7lb; Silvia, 6st.

TIME HANDICAP TROT, 2 miles.—Omega, scratch; Lilly, 10 seconds behind scratch; Captain, 20; Dozey, 25; My Love, 30; Elsie, 30; Sailor, 30; Snider, 30; Breakwater, 35; Bones, 45; Kathleen, 45; Mischief, 60.

COONABARABRAN RACES.

COONABARABRAN, MONDAY.

The amateur races on Wednesday and Friday promise to be the greatest success ever held in the district. There are very large fields of horses from Mudgee, Coolah, Coonamble, and Quirindi.

CRICKET.

The following matches were played on Saturday:—

The Manly C team made battle with a team representing the Church of England Grammar School, North Shore, on the ground of the former. The visitors turned up with one man short. The toss having been won by the captain of the visiting team he elected to send his men to the matting first, and they scored 104 (Wallace not out 31, Morson 25, G. Clarke 19). When Manly went in it looked as if a good score would be run up, but after Warburton had been caught by Calvert, with 25 standing in his favour, the batsmen did not score well, and, with the exception of Austin, who made 13 not out, they failed to reach double figures, the excellent bowling by the Clarkes making short work of them. The Manlys had only made a total of 56 runs when the innings terminated. The Grammar School opened a second innings and had compiled 34 runs for four wickets (22 of which were contributed by W. B. Clarke) when time was called, the school winning on the first innings. Scores:—

CHURCH OF ENGLAND GRAMMAR SCHOOL.

First Innings.		Second Innings.	
Hughes, b Austin	7	Hughes, c Warburton, b Rowe	3
W. B. Clarke, c Brennan, b Richards	6	W. B. Clarke, b Rowe	22
Calvert, c Welton, b Richards	1	H. C. Pockley, not out	4
G. R. C. Clarke, run out	19	Robson, c Austin, b Hargraves	0
H. C. Pockley, b Richards	0	Jones, b Hargraves	4
Wallace, not out	31	Yarnold, not out	1
Robson, b Hayes	2		
Morson, b F. Ridge	25	Total for four wickets	34
Jones, run out	0		
Yarnold, b Austin	4		
Sundries	9		
	104		

MANLY.

Warburton, c Calvert, b W. Clarke	25	H. Richards, b W. Clarke	1
Patterson, c Calvert, b W. Clarke	0	Austin, not out	13
Hayes, b G. Clarke	2	Walton, b W. Clarke	0
Hargraves, b G. Clarke	4	Ridge, c and b H. Clarke	4
Rowe, b G. Clarke	0	Sundries	6
Brennan, b G. Clarke	1		
Tompson, b W. B. Clarke	0		56

Ashfield Waratah played Auburn Lillywhite, and the game was drawn. Scores:—Ashfield Waratah, 140 (Bamford 55, Johnston 33, Ingram 22); Lillywhite, 7 wickets for 23. Bamford four for 10 and Sharp three for 10 bowled well for Waratah.

St. Ignatius College played Concord at Riverview. Davidson won the toss for the home team and sent his men in to bat, where they remained for nearly the whole afternoon for 94 runs (M'Hugh 30, O'Brien 20, Shearer 20). The Concords having only a quarter of an hour to bat sent their men in, and at the call of time had lost two wickets for 12 runs. Scores:—

ST. IGNATIUS COLLEGE.

M'Hugh, b Woodhill	30	O'Brien, h.o.w., b Puckle	20
Rudd, b Hunt	4	Curran, c Low, b Hunt	5
Dynon, c Gunning, b Hunt	2	Healy, b Hunt	0
Davidson, c Dwyer, b Hunt	6	Casey, c and b M'Rae	2
Shearer, b Hunt	20	M'Bride, not out	0
Dalton, c M'Rae, b Woodhill	0	Sundries	5
		Total	94

CONCORD.

Hunt, b Healy	1	Dwyer, not out	0
M'Rae, c Shearer, b Dynon	2	Total for 2 wickets	12
Woodhill, not out	9		

Richmond played Windsor a two days' match, which resulted in a win for the former, after a close game, by 2 runs. Scores: Richmond, 107 and 60 (M'Intyre 21, Paterson 28, Jeffriess 28, Meagher 16); Windsor, 93 and 72 (Stroud 59 and 32, Hindwood 15, Coulter 16). The bowling for the winners was done by Paterson, Meagher, and Hayes, the latter performing the "hat trick." All the losers had a try with the ball.

Parramatta District B team met University B, and the game ended in a draw in favour of Parramattas, who put up 131 runs (Andrews 44, Clemens 33, and Clarke 30). University lost eight wickets for the small total of 43 (Wall 29), Clarke and Clemens bowling excellently.

Marrickville Riverside met Tempe B on the former's ground, the match resulting in a draw. The local team, going in first, scored 70 (R. Gill 21, G. Smith 10, and Roberts 10). Tempe scored 20 for eight wickets. W. Roseby (six wickets for 10 runs) and W. Compagnoni (two for 7) did the bowling for Riverside.

Young Alexandria and Lilywhite played at Waterloo, and the match resulted in a win for the former on the first innings by 39 runs. Scores: Young Alexandria, 67 (Squires 11, Wordsworth 11, Newberry 10); Lilywhite, 28 (Hare 11). Squires and Pugsley bowled best for the winners, as did Hare, Parkham, and Barnes for the losers.

UNIVERSITY ATHLETIC CLUB.

The annual meeting of the University Athletic Club was held last night at the University, Mr. H. Wood presided. The annual report stated that the number of members had increased, and more interest was being taken in the doings of the club. It was in a more satisfactory position than it had ever been before, and last year's entries for sports showed an increase of 100. The annual sports meeting was one of the most successful of any during the season, and it is recommended that the next be held early during the present term. Thanks were due to many generous donors, and especially to Professors Anderson and Scott, and Messrs. T. Harris, A. Brown, and the Rev. J. J. O'Brien, rector of St. John's College. The balance-sheet showed a small credit. The report and balance-sheet were adopted. The following office-bearers were elected:—Patron, his Excellency the Governor; president, Professor Anderson; vice-presidents, Professor Scott, Professor Wood, Dr. Wilkinson, and Mr. Barff; joint hon. secretaries, Messrs. D. S. Edwards and W. J. Rooney; hon. treasurer, Mr. F. H. B. Gaden; committee, Messrs. S. L. Rudder, P. H. Mills, W. F. Richards, A. E. Chapman, W. L. Walker, A. H. Garnsey, F. B. de B. Lopes; delegates to the University Sports Union, Mr. W. J. Rooney and the hon. treasurer; delegates to the N.S.W. Amateur Athletic Association, the joint hon. secretaries. A vote of thanks was accorded to the retiring hon. secretaries, Messrs. Mills and Rudder. The rules of the club were revised, and the meeting adjourned.

LAWN TENNIS.

A match was played on Saturday between the Stanmore Nomads and the Lorelly clubs, on the ground of the latter, and it resulted in a win for the Nomads by 16 games. Appended are the scores:—

A. Druce and A. W. Turner (N.) v. W. Clarke and F. Stonier (L.), 4-6.

A. Druce and A. W. Turner (N.) v. T. Hicks and P. Turner (L.), 6-2.

S. Druce and F. R. Kelynack (N.) v. W. Clarke and F. Stonier (L.), 6-8.

S. Druce and F. R. Kelynack (N.) v. T. Hicks and P. Turner (L.), 5-6.

A. Druce and A. W. Turner (N.) v. W. Clarke and F. Stonier (L.), 6-1.

A. Druce and A. W. Turner (N.) v. T. Hicks and P. Turner (L.), 6-3.

S. Druce and F. R. Kelynack (N.) v. W. Clarke and F. Stonier (L.), 6-4.

S. Druce and F. R. Kelynack (N.) v. T. Hicks and P. Turner (L.), 6-2.

Results: Stanmore Nomads, 6 sets 45 games; Lorelly, 2 sets 29 games.

AQUATICS.

24-FOOTERS' CHAMPIONSHIP.

Last night the prizes won in the race of Saturday last, amongst the 24ft. fliers, were presented at Mr. Thomas Punch's Hotel, Market-street, and, from the large muster there, it appeared that nearly all the sailing men of Sydney had gathered together. Mr. George Hellings was voted to the chair, and, after explaining the object of the meeting, called on Mr. Donovan (the umpire) to give his decision. That gentleman then declared the result, and Mr. Thomas Punch (the stakeholder) handed over the prizes. Mr. J. Robinson, the skipper of the Volunteer, was the recipient of the first prize of £30, Mr. Brewster on behalf of the Ida the second prize of £10, and Mr. Jefferson received the third prize of £5 as representative of the Enterprise, each recipient being applauded, and in turn expressing thanks. Votes of thanks were accorded to the various officials for their efforts towards the success of the undertaking, especially to Mr. J. F. Dwyer, who had acted as hon. secretary. Mr. Dwyer responded, as also did Mr. Punch (stakeholder), Mr. Hellings (starter), Mr. Donovan (umpire), and Mr. Boyd (judge). A special vote of thanks to the press concluded the proceedings, and ended the business of the most successful sailing event ever held in Port Jackson.

PORT JACKSON SAILING CLUB.

A committee meeting of this club was held last night at the rooms, Punch's Hotel, when arrangements were made for the race to take place on Saturday next for prizes of £5, £2, and £1 respectively. The following entries were received:—Enterprise, Mantura, Isadore, Regina, Volunteer, Iverna, and Lavinia. Prizes of £8, £3, and £1 respectively, won in the last race, were handed to the representatives of Isadore, Volunteer, and Regina.

THE HOME-READING UNION AND THE CLERGY.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—Will you allow me to assure your correspondent "Gashmu" that the statement made to him about the above subject "on good authority" is entirely without foundation. The movement for the formation of the union originated in a paper read by Bishop Montgomery in Hobart; the Primate spoke in its favour. A clergyman of Adelaide was a member of the first provisional council, and Bishop Julius, of Christchurch, is spoken of as a probable president for New Zealand. Since we began work in New South Wales letters have been written to the Assembly of the Presbyterian Church of New South Wales and to the Wesleyan Conference, as well as to the secretary of the Young Men's Christian Association, inviting co-operation, and in all cases answers have been received cordially approving of the scheme. Circles are now being formed or talked of in at least eight parsonages of our colony—parsonages of various denominations.

The council of the A.H.R.U. desire to form a literary federation, not only of the colonies, but of the churches. To do this they must keep their work entirely free from sectarian bias. This brings me to the reason why there were no clergymen on the platform on the 28th March. To give a seat and opportunity to speak to a representative of every denomination was obviously impossible; to have one or two was equally impossible, if the desire of the council is to be reached. The only other course was therefore adopted; and speakers who represented various classes of readers were invited to co-operate with members of the council, without the aid of the churches. That clergymen will see the great opportunity the Home-Reading Union offers to them, and to others who desire to benefit their fellows, we have no doubt; and we cordially invite help from members of every denomination. I am, &c.,

M. B. WOLSTENHOLME,
Provisional General Secretary.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—"Gashmu" complains that the clergy are excluded from the management of the new Reading Union; but as clergymen have plenty of other work to do, most of them will be gratified to find that there are so many in the ranks of the laity able and willing to work a scheme which, if properly managed, is fitted to do a great amount of good. As a clergyman, interested in the higher education of the people, I wish "God-speed" to a movement which is likely to prove a mental, social, and moral benefit to all connected with it. I am, &c.,

April 3. W. A. S.

THE UNEMPLOYED QUESTION.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—I may state before giving my humble views on the above question that I am glad to know that Mr. Maner does not belong to the selfish firebrands among the employers, and trust that he will use his efforts on his side to bring about a better state of things as I am endeavouring to do among the workers. It is to be regretted that Mr. Grant, of the Stonemasons, should be so eager to rush into print over a reporter's mistake, when he must know that it is the duty of all honourable men to assist in paying that which they assisted in making, and not run away and leave others to pay that which they had a share in creating.

In discussing this question of unemployed in the press, pulpit, legislature, and labour circles all sorts of remedies are suggested, and there the matter generally ends. The freetraders tell you that you have only to carry out their doctrine of freedom, which sounds so beautiful, forgetting that as all things are not equal throughout the civilised world with its selfishness, in adopting it we must come down to the misery and wretchedness existing in older countries. The protectionists tell you that if you only adopt the fiscal protection you will go ahead by leaps and bounds, they also forgetting that in starting factories they are only assisting to enrich a few at the expense of the many, as it has been proved to anyone who looks beneath the surface that with the advent of machinery and its manipulation by boys and youths more has been done to swell the ranks of the unemployed than all the depressive drawbacks, as there is no measure for the stoppage anywhere of the numbers who are thrust forth when they become men to do the best they can after wasting their young years to the enrichment of those who employ them, unless they are prepared to go on at boy's wages all their lives. The single-taxers tell you that if you only tax the land there will be an end to all poverty, but they never tell us how it will stop overwork, sweating, cut-throat competition, and such like. I could understand the land being nationalised, for our reason alone leads us to see what a large revenue would accrue from the lands of this city if they only belonged to the State. State socialists tell us that you have only to nationalise all things and there will be an end to all misery. We look around us at our railways and other portions of our Civil Service, and we find the workers themselves growling at the amount of corruption and favouritism and mismanagement, and some of us shudder and wonder what it would be if the State was the sole employer, especially when we come to see those would-be constructors of society fighting and quarrelling among themselves. I feel sure that we would all like to see the state of things exist that is foreshadowed in Bellamy's "Looking Backward," but before that could be done we should have to banish the curse inherent in civilisation—the selfishness of human nature. Taking all these nostrums into serious consideration, I, in my puny mind, cannot help looking at them in the same light as the various remedies put forth to cure all diseases. That being the case, will it not be better for us to throw aside all the quack and useless remedies, and, as reasonable thinking beings, endeavour, like the skilled and honest surgeon, to get at the root of the disease, and thereby find out the cause and its remedy? As a humble toiler, it would no doubt be presumption and egotism on my part to say that I have unravelled the difficulty that has been endeavoured to be solved by able and intellectual men in this and other countries. I can only give my humble views after careful study and research of the question, and, if they are founded on a wrong basis, all I can say is that it is to be hoped that some practicability will be brought into the question, and a start made somewhere.

In giving these views, I may state that, in the first place, it has struck me as strange that very little notice has been taken by the workers themselves of the large numbers of boys who are sent to trades or avocations that they have no chance of earning a livelihood at when they become men, and look forward to homes of their own. How many of the workers homes' have been started with bright and youthful prospects, only too soon to be blasted, through insufficient means to keep and rear a young family, and whose lives have through this been one long incessant toil. Surely there must be something wrong or rotten in this state of things, and something should and must be done to remedy it. This is no mere theory, but unfortunately real solid hard facts. It is these things which I have earnestly endeavoured at times to draw attention to among the workers, but in vain; and now trust that our thinkers and legislators will look into it. Then there is the tendency for parents to send their children to a genteel trade, or through poverty to that which will give most wages to their children, with no thought or care what is in store for them when they reach manhood or womanhood. Is there not a tendency also from country towns to crowd our cities? Are they (apprentices) not manufactured wholesale, and when reaching manhood do they not find their way to the cities and swell the ranks of the unemployed? Look into this question, ye thinkers and humanitarians, and you will then see that something should and ought to be done to stop such a state of things, which the selfish employers encourage and are glad to see. My opinion is to restrict as far as possible the overcrowding, by the opening of other avenues, and bringing about "a better distribution of labour." How is this to be done? I notice in this morning's issue a letter from Sir Henry Parkes to the relief committee, wherein he states "that if the Government would originate some scheme for settling destitute persons on the land, he would gladly give it his support. I think that can be done easily enough, for according to the old adage, "Where there is a will there is a way." Let the Government start and try it at once, in the same manner as the Rev. Mr. Langley is trying to do in a small way. Let them select land where there is a prospect of cultivation with as little delay as possible. Let them settle thereon deserving unemployed. Give them material and tools to build, feed and implements, and the necessaries of life till such time as the land become productive (taking care that such land, by irrigation and conserving the water, is free from flood or drought). When such is the case, such settlers to repay back to the State, by easy methods, the outlay, with small interest. If successful, nationalise the whole of the lands, restrict the area one man shall hold, and, in my opinion, you will by these means assist in solving the unemployed problem.

We are also told that it is useless to attempt to settle the wages question or to interfere with it. I think this is wrong, and it will be seen if we only go into the question. Surely the State could fix the minimum rate of wages that any man should receive, for by the inexorable law of supply and demand, as is stated, are there not men with families who only receive barely enough to keep themselves, receiving in some shape or form State or private assistance, when those who employ them are reaping the harvest? As life is short in this world, surely it is the duty of the State to see that the humblest individual should have a chance of some of the sunshine of this earth, by being able from his own honest toil to keep his wife at home, clothe and feed his children properly, and breathe the fresh air with his family at times; instead of from the pittance he receives being compelled to let his wife work, and his children as soon as they are able to walk. Take the labourers at the foundries and shipbuilding yards in Sydney who are in receipt of 35s a week, and that not constant, and ask yourselves how is it possible to keep a wife and four or five of a family on it, paying out of that 12s or 14s for rent. Is it a wonder then, when we see this state of things rapidly becoming prevalent by the bogie cry of "freedom of contract," and the statement that they are not opposed to unionism or such like, which is daily being proved to be untrue by the action of employers, that we hear talk of revolution and such like? Will it not be better for the Government, the press, and the thinking portion of the public to try and bring about a better state of things by the endeavours to settle the people on the soil by village settlements, the means I have stated? It is no use wasting time in talk, but set to work at once and grapple with this question of the unemployed. As I said in my previous letter, the Trades and Labour Council and the unions should and must take it up. I have done my best as far I am concerned.

I am, &c.,

April 2. JAS. WATSON.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—I read with much interest your report of the unemployed meeting in the Exhibition Building, and particularly Sir Henry Parkes's reply to an invitation to be present. In a few words this gentleman gives the primary cause of the present depression, viz., "That men who have money are afraid to invest it in any enterprise depending for success on the agencies of labour." Exactly so; and this is what the working man has brought upon himself, and for which he alone is responsible. He has frightened capital, who was prepared to give him employment at fair wages, and as he cannot get on without capital's aid, he must needs fall back on the charity of his fellow-men—even on the charity of those "bloated capitalists," whose money he could have accepted as a wage-earner, with no feeling of dependency or obligation.

During a long colonial experience I have been a large employer of labour myself, and have had ample opportunity of studying the working man. He has largely assisted to make me the poor man I am, and I say it advisedly, and ask you to pardon the strong expression, that I have found the average working man a selfish fraud—regardless of all others' interests so long as his own selfish demands are satisfied. Years ago I had a flourishing factory in New Zealand wherein I employed close upon a hundred persons. My ambition was to build up a business that would have employed five times that number. Did I receive any encouragement from my men? Not a scrap. They thought I was doing too well, making too much money; and notwithstanding that some of the piecework hands could earn at their society's schedule rates from £4 to £6 per week of 50 hours, they (through the society) demanded increased rates, and this, mark you, at the season when employers' books were full of orders and their demands could not be resisted. I informed the delegates who waited upon me that their demands were most unreasonable, and that if I did not find at next balancing a fair return on the capital invested I would close the factory. This I did at much loss, as I saw nothing before me but incessant worry and vexation from my employees.

Again, I had similar experience in this colony. I engaged in a large contract, employing many men. These men were paid their society's fixed wages; but for trifling and absurd reasons they "struck work" on two occasions, and threw everything out of gear just at the time when the works required pushing on. These are some of my experiences of the working man, and you can hardly blame me for saying that were I again a capitalist I would never engage in any undertaking that required largely skilled labour. What the working man aims at is that others shall provide the money and undertake all the risk of success or failure in business, while he condescends to give his labour—and such labour sometimes—at a rate quite satisfactory to himself and his society. At the same time he does not hesitate to break or alter, for his own selfish ends, any agreement or rates on which an employer or contractor may have based his calculations, and occasionally, when the spirit moves him, impudently dictates to his employer how the work should be carried on. I leave it to those who have suffered as I have done to say whether I am exaggerating.

The present depression is attributable to three causes—the great strike, the failure of financial institutions, and the new policy of protection. The first is undoubtedly the prime factor, and for which the working man is entirely responsible. They dealt such a blow to the employment of capital, the progress of necessary works, and the establishment of industries as will yet take a considerable time to efface, to restore confidence in commercial circles both here and in England, and regain the trade lost to the colony. I am, &c., M. H.

April 2.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—The question, "What to do with our unemployed?" has again been brought forcibly before the public by the kind action of the Mayor, Mr. Manning, in placing the old Exhibition Building at the disposal of Mr. Creer. His Excellency the Governor has also promised supplies, and given a sum of money; members of Parliament, ministers of religion, and others are all eager to lend their help and sympathy. The press, the friend of the people, is with the movement, and one might exclaim truly, there is a mighty gathering of our social forces. Will it end in good results, or bad? All human effort has an influence for either good or evil. Let me express the hope that in this movement the good will prevail, and the work that may be accomplished will be lasting in our midst. Let us so strive in this matter that the result may be a worthy monument to those who have entered upon the work, which may inspirit others to like efforts, and serve to the glory of God and the elevation of our deserving poor. Such an end can only be attained by industry, combined with a right conception of duty, and this must be urged upon those who have the care of the movement. Admitting that the present need of the men is great, it must be conceded that permanent help is required. "The Church Labour Home," Mr. Langley's scheme, which was started some six months ago to help in this same cause, has done good work, and many who are now at the "home" and the "labour farm" would, only for such aid, be probably amongst the men at the Exhibition Building. If the present outburst of sympathy by those referred to is to be of use, they must either organise or give their support to such organisations as now exist in working order. In such a case their field of usefulness would be enlarged, and their efforts to deal with the various difficulties surrounding the question would be effectual. It has been often set forth "that wealth is the product of labour," and it would, no doubt, be a popular and practical method of meeting the difficulty. If relief works that would be at once reproductive were started—such, for instance, as a suburban railway, allowing the men to become permanent shareholders with the Government; the men's proportion of claim to be commensurate with the amount of unpaid wages, estimated at current rates (by piece work), less the cost of their maintenance during the construction of the work. Trusting that I have not made my letter too long, and enclosing my card, I am, &c.,

April 4. RESONANCE.

SOCIALISM.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—Your correspondents, "F. E. S. H.," "X. Y. Z.," and Mr. A. J. White, whose letters appear in your issue of the 1st instant, criticise a letter of mine which is contained in a previous issue. "F. E. S. H." expresses violent contempt for monetary capital, and to quote his own words, "would have the State run the whole show." But he does not explain how the State could "run the show" without the aid of money. For that explanation he refers me to certain socialist authors' works. It would not appear to have occurred to "F. E. S. H." that it is a matter at once of small difficulty, and often of large profit, to an ingenious writer to depict the feasibility of an immaculate and beneficent system of State government being constructed on the basis of socialism.

Calm inquiry into, and critical investigation of apparent facts, will often reveal them to be falsehoods of the most pronounced character. So it is with the theory of State socialism which has been so glowingly set forth in books by writers of a certain class of ability, that the students of them whose misfortune it has been in Nature's economy to be endowed like your three correspondents in this controversy with natural habits of superficial thought and observation, accept the theory in the honest conviction that it is absolutely perfect in its component parts, and capable of practical realisation as the basis of our social and political system. But when put to trial it would be found to break down in its application to the science of existing facts. Suppose, for example, that it were possible to banish all gold, silver, and copper from this country, and to establish a commonwealth in it of the kind contemplated by "F. E. S. H.," how would the country pay for the millions of pounds' worth of imports which it annually receives from abroad, and without which its existence as a civilised community would be utterly impossible? The State paper money, or "labour notes," as "F. E. S. H." designates it, would not be accepted in payment for value received outside of New South Wales. Therefore, our commercial connection with the outside world would be at an end. The statement that the labourer gets only one-third in wages of the value of his produce, and is robbed by the capitalist of the other two-thirds, is an absolute and unmitigated falsehood. What the proportion of failures to successes in business may be in New South Wales I do not know. But statistics of the United States of America show that 97 per cent. of the people who embark in business enterprises in that country fail within 10 years from the date of their embarkation. This fact effectively refutes the base charge that employers of labour grow wealthy by pursuing a policy of fraud and robbery towards their workmen. "F. E. S. H." then says: "Under socialism all would find work, and we should have plenty of leisure." The same kind of wild talk was addressed to working-men during the currency of the great local labour strike of 1890. They were assured that the issue of that memorable but deeply to be lamented campaign against capitalists would be one of unalloyed success and happiness to the toilers in the country, that they would have abundance of leisure in which to visit the parks, and so forth. Well, large numbers of them have, indeed, leisure enough now, but their visits to the parks are made under circumstances of an extremely painful nature—circumstances which are the creation of a labour policy, the essence of which is genuine socialism. The other correspondent, "X. Y. Z.," complains that house rent is too high in this country, and that a working man cannot get a good house under 14s a week. Of course house rent is high in it. And why is it high? Because the wages of local labour are high. Thus it happens that a working man is not, as a rule, any better off in his circumstances of life in a country where wages are high than he would be in one where wages are low. For whatever he uses and consumes that are produced within the country where high wages prevail, would cost him more than he would pay for similar things were he living in a country where wages are low. The attempt of trades-unionism by strikes and other asinine devices to keep up wages of labour, are in the long run suicidal to the best interests of the working classes immediately concerned in the matter. Evidence of this fact is furnished from time to time in the case of tenders being called for by the Government for the supply of various articles. It is a common occurrence in such a case to find the local tenderer cut out of the contract by the foreign one, with a difference between them of as much as 40 and 50 per cent.; and so it happens that private enterprise in all its departments in the country is waning and sinking under the hideous incubus of trades-unionism. And while this process of national decay is going on, a number of whimsical fanatics—of whom my three critics in this argument are fair specimens—come upon the scene with a vile nostrum in the shape of red-hot socialism, by means of which they contend, in speeches and letters to the newspaper press, that it would be possible to avert the impending ruin which overshadows the land, and which is, in point of fact, the lineal descendant of modified socialism in the quality of trades-unionism.

The painful and alarming results of the vicious sentiments which these men scatter broadcast in the community are to be seen to-day in the melancholy spectacle of thousands of starving men, wives, and children in different parts of the country. "X. Y. Z." says that he hopes to live to see Socialism an accomplished fact in this country. Well, all I can say to that is, if he ever realises his hope I have a strong conviction that his family undertaker will have been done out of a job, so far as "himself" was concerned. With reference to Mr. White's letter I would only say, having already trespassed too much on your space, that it reads very nicely, and is as innocent of argument in support of the peculiar system of economics for which he contends as it is conspicuous for gratuitous assertion.

April 2. I am, &c., JOHN BERGAN.

THE RABBIT DEPUTATION.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—Had Mr. Copeland, as the head of a French department, been consulted 30 years ago, when M. Pasteur permitted himself to be persuaded, much against his will, to be transported from the social and scientific attractions of Paris to a remote province for the purpose of investigating the causes which had almost succeeded in annihilating one of the great producing industries of southern France, he would, no doubt, have triumphantly interposed in a preventive sense with the remark expressed to a recent deputation of New South Wales pastoralists, that he "didn't believe in Pasteur." It is, nevertheless, the fact that M. Pasteur succeeded, and that completely and triumphantly, in obliterating the silkworm disease, which had devastated whole departments, and in bestowing on his country a splendid service. Ordinary people would argue that when a man of Pasteur's world-acknowledged character and attainments tells us he is of opinion that he can successfully deal with a scourge which threatens the prosperity of Australia, we might at least accord him the small courtesy of allowing him to experiment upon it under conditions of his own making. But then Mr. Copeland is, I suppose, not an ordinary man. I am, &c.,

April. COMMON SENSE.

WAUGH'S BAKING POWDER obtained the first-class only award of highest degree of merit. Waugh's Baking Powder is the best.—[ADVT.]

POLICE PROTECTION IN SYDNEY.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—Mr. W. Steel's criticisms in the *Herald* of yesterday, 31st March, and Mr. Barton's reply to Mr. M'Gowen last night, show that some clearly defined policy should at once be carried out, or the Government will procrastinate, let things drift on their old course, and let the public suffer and grumble. Mr. Steel's reference to the Mount Rennie, Mount Carmel, and Woolloomooloo outrages strictly bear on this question, and, if possible, nearly worse has followed. When the Ministry call for Mr. Fosbery's report on those cases he tells the Government he is undermanned; but promises, if they will supply a sufficient force of men, he will protect the public from outrage, and he fixes the extra expense at £10,000, and surely that is a small charge to suppress the inhuman ruffianism of our big larrikin pushes; but for goodness sake let us have no public or private flagellations, except for outrage on females. Solitary confinement and bread and water diet will prostrate the hardest criminal. Mr. Steel should have got the tip from some of the force as to the arrangement of duty; for instance, eight beats covered by eight men at night, from 10 p.m. to 6 a.m., will be covered by only one man during the day, and he relieved for purposes of food and rest by a second day constable; so giving each man his eight hours work, or about 20 miles patrol. Then there are sergeants and constables patrolling simultaneously. It is all very well to have police patrolling past your house to protect you when you are in bed resting, but there is not that necessity in the daytime, when all are awake and alert. If the *Herald's* readers will turn to telegrams of yesterday they will notice Prince Bismarck's belief is that Germany may see a repetition of the revolutionary outbreak of 1848, and that the Emperor may be compelled to flee from the Berlin rioters. Mind, this is a very fair presumption of the Prince. Nihilism, communism, and socialism in 1848 were organisations then scarcely known; now they are a power, a terror to Europe and England. The King of Prussia and Emperor of Austria each had his capital devastated. The Prussian promised all sorts of concessions, which he carefully discarded. The Hapsburg had to fly from Vienna, and Russia saved the empire by driving the Hungarians across the Danube. This is the fate that Bismarck predicts for the Hohenzollern. Now, coming nearer home. While all the thrones in Europe tottered to their foundations, England passed almost scathless through the revolutionary storm. Fergus O'Connor, M.P., arranged to present a petition to Parliament on the 10th of April, 1848. The late Duke of Wellington took precautions for the safety of London. One hundred and seventy thousand special constables were sworn in to assist the police, who were to do the fighting; the soldiery all kept in reserve, and not one seen in London. The police, armed with heavy cutlasses, ground and sharpened, did all the fighting in breaking up the mobs of Chartists wherever they appeared; and this guerilla war, Chartist v. police, lasted all through the summer, Sundays especially being a grand day for meeting and fighting. The Chief Commissioner of Police found the duty was irksome, fatiguing, and telling on the *morale* of the force, and brought it under the notice of the Government. They saw the necessity of doing something at once, and an increase of 2000 men was authorised, divided into reserve corps of 500 men each, the Commissioners attaching them to such divisions as they thought expedient—say, 500 A Reserve, 500 G, 500 K, and so on. On notice public or private of a Chartist meeting about to be held in the open grounds in or about London the men of the nearest reserve force attended promptly, and did all that was requisite to break up the meeting if it got excited or became likely to resort to violence. Attending race meetings, matches of all sorts, operas, and places of amusement was the duty of this force. Mr. Barton kindly informed Mr. M'Gowen last night that early attention would be given to make the force adequate in case inquiry showed that it was necessary to increase the number of police constables; and where on earth is Mr. Barton going to make the inquiry? He has the Inspector-General's statement that 1665 men are really insufficient to protect the cities, towns, hamlets, and villages in New South Wales, an area of territory considerably larger than Great Britain, and six times larger than England. Will Mr. Barton say you are not bound by the *ipse dixit* of the chief of police? Where, then, will you go for additional proof—to the press or the people? Well, you can get it from both sources. For years past the public have complained, through the medium of the press, about their grievously unprotected state. Mr. Barton says it is possible to effect something by redistribution. Mr. Barton's words are too vague to mean anything. A few months will roll over very soon; then look out not for squalls, but storms. Why not at once, therefore, do as Mr. Fosbery suggests—give him at once 105 men and 20 officers; the constables at 6s per diem, or £11,497 10s. Clothing or lodging allowance I don't include, because I don't know the rate. The 20 officers and constables should be apportioned between the five Sydney stations—No. 1 Central, Nos. 2, 3, 4, and Newtown 5. Mr. Steel is correct in recommending that police uniform should be eschewed. Each station provide a body to look after its own larrikins. The men should go out each evening just about the meeting times of their respective pushes, patrol in plain clothes two by two or in pairs on opposite sides of the streets; keep carefully under observation each respective push, and follow it at a distance to notice its object. Every one of those men should be provided with a weapon for defence, such as the hammer-headed hunting-whip, or one that detectives know which I need not describe. When this force got a chance to act they should go in *con amore*; don't strike above the shoulders, but dust their coats and pants, and take them off at once to the station or hospital. Recollect they will have no mercy on the reserves; all the police have to do then is to keep them well under; once cowed down they will never stand again, they are essentially cowardly and brutal. The old stamp of faugh-a-ballagh have all been got rid of out of the police, and a race we know nothing of has taken their place; but they are not like the true genuine men of old. I am telling a story out of school, which in days gone by would make Mr. Fosbery's hair stand on end. I have often seen the old school, for the mere purpose of clearing the streets of thieves, burglars, and larrikins between 1 and 2 o'clock in the morning, coax and attempt to push them on homewards. Sometimes John Barleycorn would be so strong as to impel them to turn on the plain-clothes men; the consequence was that the whacks from the police riding-whips would be heard resounding off their backs and pants, and which was sure to become so intolerable that at last they would take to their heels, and when pursued and caught by the police they were glad to throw themselves on their knees, hold up their hands, and pray for God's sake to give them another chance, and not give them any more dusting, and they would go right home, and not molest anyone again. Without ordering the reserve to do this work, let the constables and sergeants know that pushes must be suppressed, and if they cannot effect it, other and better men will be got who will. This scandal to our country must be stamped out. I show what was done in London: what can be done there can be done here, only give Mr. Fosbery the chance.

Mind, Sir, the public and police have an equal interest in suppressing this intolerable ruffianism, it affects us all around. The respectable citizen may be kicked to death between his office and his home, and the policeman may be kicked and deformed beyond recognition, and spend weary months in pain and agony in hospital, and perhaps unfitted for duty the remainder of his days, for no earthly reason but to permit this rascaldom to find vent for its savagery. The Ministry of the day must be held responsible for this state of affairs. It is their place to find the Inspector-General with means to carry out his part, but they as a Ministry have a more important part in addition; if they don't know it, it is not becoming in me to attempt to instruct them; if they do know and don't do it, if I am alive when the House meets I won't fail to bring all this under the notice of Parliament and press. I am, &c.,

WILLIAM HOGAN.

April 1.

THE ABANDONED CAMP.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—In your issue of to-day a letter appeared from an officer debating why the camp should not be abandoned, and amongst other reasons he says that the reduced amount might be saved by doing away with the reserve rifle companies, a useless and expensive body. Therein I join issue. He writes saying that they know no drill. I can assure him that a great many of them perhaps know more than their critic. In my own company of only 33 efficients there are 16 old volunteers, five of whom have seen active service in the Cape, India, and New Zealand. Of the 33 efficients 27 passed as marksmen, three first-class and three second-class. How is it that if the volunteers (I call them militia, being paid men) meet the riflemen, say in teams of 10, that they beat them nine times out of ten, although they have a regiment to pick from, and the riflemen only from 30 to 40 men? He also says that they spoil the partially-paid force. I have no doubt they do that by showing that they cannot shoot; here lies the jealousy of officers. What would be the use of all their drill if they can only walk about and not use the very effective weapons put into their hands? I consider they ought to have the Henry rifles, plenty good enough to drill with, and let the riflemen have the Martini rifles, who know how to use them, instead of being restricted to 12 for each company. As regards the cost, how can the country get 2500 men cheaper than the riflemen, who cost the Government nothing at all, and their efficiency money of £1 per man does not go to the men but to the corp, to partly pay for targets, &c., which the volunteers have provided at the expense of the country. The riflemen provide their own uniforms, ranges, targets, ammunition, and a great many their own rifles themselves; and as for railway passes, I question if there is £300 paid for those in a year, and which cost the Government nil, because there is very seldom more than 10 men go at the same time, which makes no difference in the haulage or number of carriages, whereas I see the amount of railway expenses for the camp alone is estimated at over £4300, which means all extra train service. Some time ago we asked to be allowed to drill. We were told that if we learnt to shoot straight they could drill us all we should require in a fortnight—that is, company drill and skirmishing; because there is no doubt but what the riflemen would have to go to the front and defend the first line if, unfortunately, this country was ever attacked by a foreign foe.

April 4. I am, &c., RIFLEMAN.

"VARIETY IS THE SPICE OF LIFE."—Readers of the Echo will see that NEW FEATURES are being constantly introduced. Its columns contain letterpress to suit all classes and denominations of the community, no efforts being spared to render the Echo the MOST POPULAR, RELIABLE, and READABLE EVENING PAPER in New South Wales. The Echo, one penny.—[ADVT.]

THE BISHOPRIC OF GOULBURN.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—The equipoise of your leader of last Saturday prompts me to reply thereto. As briefly as possible I want to show you have overlooked the fact that touching the forthcoming election I first wrote, "If this order be now instituted." I must emphasise that, now is the accepted time I had in view. With the past order of things I do not cavil. Not for a moment do I question the wisdom of bygone years in the appointment of such men as Broughton and Barker and Thomas to the Sees of Sydney and Goulburn respectively. Since then circumstances have changed materially. No longer is our local—I mean Australasian—arena of choice a small one, our population now numbers millions.

Many of our young men have brilliantly distinguished themselves in the brain battlefield. Nor is this confined to Australia. In the grand old mother-land, where, amongst the stalwart intellects they have had to compete with—the cream of the intellect culled from 40,000,000—the men of this southern land have been able to hold their own. Have we not proof? Yes! here is one. The son of the late Sir Terence Aubrey Murray occupies a high position as professor of the Edinburgh University, and is thought one of the most learned Greek scholars of the day. Again, when the late long to be lamented Professor Woolley left for a 12 months' holiday, he selected as a *locum tenens* an Australian educated here to occupy the position so worthily filled by the learned Dr. Enough these to emphasise the position I have taken.

You say that "to the majority of those within the Church it may very well be apparent that it is impossible to secure candidates for the episcopal office who will be men of light and learning, and good administrators within the special lines laid down for them as well." This does not harmonise with the decision of our last general synod, elected to represent the views of the majority of those within the Church in Australia and Tasmania, as shown by the resolution of which I knew not until the venerable Canon Hulton King sent it you last week. It runs thus:—"That, in the opinion of this synod, the time has arrived when it is expedient that, in future elections of bishops to the various dioceses in Australia and Tasmania, an effort be made, in the first instance, to select some suitable person duly qualified within the dioceses." I am therefore not singular in my suggestion; but even if I were, this would not deter me from expressing my opinion, for James Russell Lowell, that prince of poets, has written—

> They are slaves who dare not be
> In the right with two or three.

Again: You quote the recent instance of selecting in England a woman M.A. to preside over our Women's College. Here again we have blundered. I hold, and that strongly, our first duty is to provide for those of our own house. If we find we have the material we want on the spot it should be obtained; if not, by all means let us send to Britain for it. It seems strange to me that the professors overlooked the daughter of a respected Civil servant, who but a short time back in a remarkable degree distinguished herself at the Sydney University. It would have done more to encourage the cultivation of knowledge had she been selected than the distinguished M.A. you refer to. I hope this error will not be repeated. No one more than I will cheerfully admit that New South Wales is under great obligations to the old country for the impetus given our spiritual and intellectual life. The presence here of many of her gifted sons and daughters, who would have made their mark in their native land, is evident. But the time has come to depend more upon our own resources. Given encouragement, and I wot not that young men of ability will seek to consecrate and fit themselves for the ministry. Men of grit and grace the Church requires; whether they come from the Bench, the counting-house, or the University I care not. Thank goodness, talent is not monopolised by any clique or country.

I am, &c., EDWARD J. H. KNAPP.

April 4.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—Your numerous correspondents appear all to overlook the fact that there are already two notable examples of Australian clergymen who have quite recently been consecrated to Australian bishoprics in the dioceses respectively of Newcastle and North Queensland. The question which evinces so much interest in Goulburn Church matters is therefore already beyond the question of prospective theory; and I, for one, am assured that neither need our Goulburn brethren seek outside their own episcopate for their future Bishop.

I have not in a former letter traversed Mr. Knapp's suggestion, much less "sneered" at it; but I still take exception to the remarks which have been made disparaging those prelates and clergy from England, whose labours have mainly built up the Church in this land, and which would have been defective indeed if we at this time cannot produce suitable and competent men to be our own bishops, priests, and deacons. Your correspondent who embellishes his letter with a Latin exclamation "*O, tempora*," &c., should endeavour to ascertain its following words "*quam mutantur*," which would help to explain to himself and others that we have now to deal with the Church of the nineteenth century, and not of the period of the catacombs.

We need now something more than a "deal planer" for a Bishop, if that is what one of your correspondents would suggest; but no ground has been shown for external anxiety as to the perfect competence and willingness of churchmen in the Goulburn diocese to manage their own ecclesiastical business without compromising their own spiritual interests, or the honour, dignity, and welfare of the grand old Church in Australia. I am, &c.,

April 4. EDWARD SHARP.

APPLAUSE IN CHURCHES.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—Last Sunday evening I attended a well-known church in this city. When the sermon was concluded I was, to say the least of it, amazed to hear the greater part of the congregation applaud the speaker by clapping their hands and stamping their feet. Has civilisation come to such a level as to allow of such proceedings in a house of God? Is a congregation to be allowed to approve of the sermon in such a forcible manner? Is a place of worship to be conducted on the same lines as a common theatre? At any rate judging from last night's experience those questions may be answered in the affirmative. I was also surprised that the speaker did not tell the congregation that such conduct was unbefitting and absolutely out of place. At a theatre or a public meeting the public can applaud as they think fit; but is it to be allowed in a church? Hitherto we have shown respect by listening attentively, and cannot we in the future show our respect by refraining from what seems to me such disgraceful conduct. My remarks are echoed by several persons who attended the church in question, and who declared that such proceedings were not at all in accordance with true Christian worship.

April 4. I am, &c., G. G.

THE PRESENT DEPRESSION.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—During the past few weeks I have noticed many letters in your columns on the depression, its causes, effects, and cure; but, while most of the views set forth have been good enough in their way, it strikes me that none of the writers have taken a large enough grasp of the subject, which, indeed, is far in excess of any newspaper article or letter.

No doubt some of the causes of the depression are as follows:—(*a*) The recent labour agitations; (*b*) the want of a strong Government; (*c*) the smallness of the population; (*d*) the partial stoppage of large public works.

We do not seem to have in any of these colonies at the present time a statesman who has brought forward a really comprehensive policy for pushing on the settlement of this great and magnificent country, and no doubt one difficulty lies in the way, viz., that Australia is like a house divided against itself, each little community (colony) looking on its neighbour almost in the light of a strange or alien race. Federation, when it comes, will be the cure for this evil, at all events.

Permit me to sketch out a policy that if honestly and persistently carried out would soon place Australia in a very different position from that she now occupies; but the policy I indicate must be carried out in its entirety and not piecemeal.

The three principal things are—1. Extensive borrowing. 2. Large public works. 3. Steady immigration.

First, then—Extensive borrowing.—This must be extended over many years, and for New South Wales alone might be at the rate of £2,000,000 a year for 10 years. The money to be expended honestly in remunerative works only, such as railways, telegraph extension, &c. This will open up land for settlement, and with more liberal land laws, and a real endeavour to meet the requirements of the rural settlers, great numbers will be found glad to avail themselves of the chance of permanent homes in a rising and rapidly advancing country like this would be.

Thirdly (for I find I have already trespassed on my second point)—Immigration.—This is really the crucial part of the subject, and the one least understood. It has been found that ordinary assisted immigrants bring with them to the colony they reach about an average of £10 per head, so that each 100 persons bring £1000—this is so much to the good—and all the people so coming in need beef and mutton and bread, and clothes and houses, so that they are at once assisting to remove the stagnation of trade we are all complaining of. The borrowed money (£2,000,000 a year) if properly expended, and the works well timed, should and would prevent a glut in the labour market. The good hands (who really will work and want it, already here and coming) would be gradually be employed at remunerative wages; and by the time our borrowed money was expended, there would be, say, 2,000,000 of people in the colony to bear the increased taxation, so that the weight per head would be considerably less than at present; and with increased population there would be a large increase of both internal and external trade. No doubt such a plan would require a masterly Government to carry it through well. This scheme is nearly on the lines of the policy that was laid before the New Zealand Legislature many years ago by Sir Julius Vogel, but was never carried through. The money was borrowed all at once—a fatal mistake—but the people were not introduced in sufficient quantities, and when Sir Julius went home ill, the working classes got the ear of Government, and immigration wholly ceased. This was fatal, and hence I propose that the borrowing should only be carried out so long as the immigration was strictly adhered to. I dare not extend this sketch, as I know the value of your space; but depend upon it, the policy is a sound one, and if carried out rigidly and honestly, will pull this country (or this colony) out of its troubles, and in a very short time. What would the United States be without its vast population and its network of railways? I am, &c.,

C. G. M.

MONETARY AND COMMERCIAL.

MONDAY EVENING.

In the Stock and Share market to-day business disclosed no special feature. Tooth's Brewery were rather dearer; quotations for others were about the same as before. On the Sydney Stock Exchange the following sales were reported:—At 1 o'clock: Bank of New Zealand, Sydney register, 92s 6d; Colonial Finance, 3d. At 4 o'clock: Castlemaine and Wood Brothers' Brewery, 22s; Tooth's Brewery, 16s 9d. Closing quotations were:—

	Buyer.	Seller.		Buyer.	Seller.
BANKS.					
Aust. J. Stock	19	20¼	N. S. Wales	63½	65
Commercial	115¼	117	New Zealand	92/6	93/6
Com. of Aust.	7½	8¼	A'kland R'g.	—	—
City	—	9¼	Q. National	—	9d/
New issue	20/	—	Roy. B. Q'l'nd	75/	—
Federal	—	45/	Union	67/	69/
STEAM.					
Balmain Ferry	12/9	—	Newcastle	1/6	—
Illawarra	—	5	North Coast	—	19/
N. S. Ferry	34/	36	Port Jackson	—	79/
INSURANCE.					
Aust'n Mut'al	—	13/	New Zealand	—	70/
Syd M'tu'l Fire	1/9	2/3	United	67/	70/
Mercantile	—	5/9			
GAS.					
Aus. Gaslight	19	—	Manly	—	20/
New	8	—	North Shore	—	17/
Goulburn	—	37/			
BREWERIES.					
Australian	—	20	Cast'm'ne and Wood Bros.	22/	22/3
Marshall's	—	5			
Tooth's	16/6	17			
MISCELLANEOUS.					
Aaron's Hotel	—	7/	Hudson Bros.	—	3/6
Colonial Sugar, £10 paid	14½	—	New Issue	—	3/6
£20 paid	25	—	Melb'ne Tr'ms	26/	27/6
Emu Gravel	—	16/	Richardson & Wrench	10/	14/
Eagle Tobacco	4/10	—	Shale and Oil	6/3	7/
Hayes, J. J.	—	15/	Syd. Hyd.	10/	11/3
			Syd. Exchange	18	—
INVESTMENT AND FINANCE, &c.					
Assets Realisation	—	2	Col. Finance	—	3d
			Mort. Guar.	—	—
Mont de Piété, ex New	20/	21/	Perm. Trustee	2/6	2/11
			Perp. Trustee	14/6	—
LAND AND BUILDING.					
Commercial	—	60	Sydney and Suburban	—	10/
Sydney Perm.	—	10½			

On the Stock Exchange of New South Wales the following sale was reported to-day:—Industrial Provident Building, 17½. The following are the closing quotations, except those corresponding with the figures of the Sydney Stock Exchange published above:—Royal Bank of Queensland, seller 80s; Balmain Ferry, seller 13s 9d; North Shore Ferry, buyer 34s, seller 36s; Australian Mutual Fire, seller 12s 9d; United Insurance, buyer 65s, seller 67s 6d; Colonial Sugar, 10 paid, seller 15; Hudson Bros., seller 3s 3d; Mortgage Guarantee, seller 2s 4d; Permanent Trustee, buyer 2s 9d; Industrial Provident Building, buyer 17¼, seller 18; Sydney Freehold Land, seller 13s; Sydney and Suburban Land, seller 8s 6d.

A meeting of shareholders of the Anglo-Australian Investment, Finance, and Land Company was held to-day to consider a proposal to increase the capital of the company. Mr. Henry Gorman presided, and after a full explanation of the company's affairs, of which a report is published elsewhere, it was resolved,—"That the capital of the company be increased by £57,962, in £1 shares, having no further liability, and that the amount be paid as follows:—2s on application, 1s on allotment, and the balance by calls not exceeding 1s per share per month, as required, being an addition of 50 per cent. to the present paid-up capital." Consequential amendments on the increase of capital were then made to the memorandum and articles of association. It was further resolved,—"That each shareholder be requested to subscribe one share for every two shares of £1 each paid up, and five shares for every two shares of £5 paid up, such newly-subscribed capital to be returned in full if £40,000 be not subscribed within six months."

Bradstreet's of the 27th February has the following relative to an international conference on bi-metallism, which many persons in the United States desire to promote, with a view to settle the monetary question on a satisfactory basis:—

There has been a general belief that Secretary Foster's trip to Europe is not wholly disconnected with an endeavour to bring about an international conference on the silver question, and that at least an unofficial exchange of views upon the subject with Mr. Goschen, the Chancellor of the British Exchequer, is on his programme. This belief has received unexpected reinforcement by the announcement, made upon authoritative information, that England has agreed to send representatives to an international conference on bi-metallism, to be called by the United States, on the condition that it will not be bound by the decisions of the conference. This will involve the reservation by every country represented of the right to accept or reject the conclusions that may be reached. The question whether such a conference will be held seems to depend upon the action which Congress will take. Measures providing for the calling of such a conference are before the body; but the project will be energetically opposed by extreme free-coinage men, with what result remains to be seen. Perhaps the announcement of England's attitude in relation to an international conference may help the project through Congress in spite of the opposition of the free-coinage men.

The thirty-second annual report of the Equitable Life Assurance Society of the United States to 31st December shows that the total premium revenue for the year amounted to £6,832,064; consideration for annuities granted, £119,421; interest, dividends, and rents, £1,256,352; gain in valuation of assets, £109,214. On the other side, claims under policies amounted to £2,111,109; surrenders, £635,386; annuities, £65,185; commission, £848,876; expenses of management, £793,476; taxes, £58,977; cash bonuses to policy-holders, £329,632; interest on shareholders' capital, £1458. The amount of funds at the end of the year was £28,245,119, against £24,772,169 at the beginning of the year. Of the total funds, £5,456,870 is represented as the surplus in excess of liabilities, on a 4 per cent. standard.

The desirableness of effecting a reduction in interest rates on bank deposits is a subject creating some discussion in Melbourne, more so apparently than in Sydney. Saturday's *Argus* says:—"No alteration has been made to-day in bank deposit rates, but the subject has been postponed for consideration to next week. The preponderating feeling is that the 12 months' rate should be reduced, both here and in Sydney, from 5 per cent. to 4½ per cent., and there is a strong possibility that the reduction will be made. The subject of advances on fixed deposits in suspended institutions is not likely to become a matter for joint banking action. The question is one which can best be dealt practically with on independent lines. There is a disposition to render assistance, but individual circumstances must govern each case."

In the Import markets to-day business was quiet, and it cannot be said that the month's trade has yet opened with much life. The position of the flour market is unaltered. Buyers, seeing no risk of higher prices, are not anxious, as they are in some years, with an apparently advancing market, to buy for forward delivery. The quotation for wheat is almost nominal, the market being bare, and millers having to supply their requirements from outside sources. A quantity of New Zealand oatmeal was sold at £13 10s. In tea we note the sale of 300 packages of China at from 9d to 13d. Dried fruits continue to move off at late rates. Our London files to latest mail dates show that the dried fruit market continued very quiet. The *Produce Markets Review* of the 20th February says that currants, which were quoted at 17s 6d for fair quality Provincial, in cases, 20s to 21s. Patras, good, in half-cases, were cheaper than ever before, the low price in Greece for common quality tending to keep down the market. The sugar market remains firm, and continues to be controlled by the Colonial Sugar Company. The *Courier* of Friday thus refers to the position in Queensland:—

Sugar has received a good deal of attention, and it has exchanged hands at a little below what are supposed to be the general quotations. So far as can be ascertained the stocks held in the city are sufficient for all Southern requirements till the arrival of the first of the new season's crushing, unless the North draw upon us for supplies, and the balance of opinion seems to be in favour of no further advance taking place. The agents for Fairymead ask £24 for first whites, and Yengarie and Millaquin sugars are not obtainable below from £24 to £26 for No. 1 quality and from £22 to £23 for No. 2 quality. The current quotations may be given as £23 to £23 10s for best whites, other than Fairymead, Yengarie, and Millaquin, and £21 10s to £22 for whites of second quality. Yellow sugars and ration sorts are very scarce; for rations £18 is required, and for yellow crystals £17 to £18. We hear of a parcel of sugar having been sent to Maryborough this week.

In liquids, we note the sale of parcels of Robertson's and Dawson's whisky at agents' quotations. A quantity of second-class brandy was quitted on private terms. There was some inquiry for champagne. In metals, quotations generally were about the same as last week, there being an absence of demand. Blasting powder (Curtiss and Harvey's) sold at 5½d from the magazine. Bran bags, 4s 4d, a parcel having been placed at a concession on this figure. Cable advice from Calcutta is to the effect that the jute market is firmer, exchange having advanced in consequence of the rise in the price of silver.

Messrs. Fraser and Co. advertise for sale by auction to-morrow (Tuesday) morning, salvage stock from the fire at Mr. James Kidman's bakery, and also machinery.

Messrs. Harris and Ackman advertise for sale by auction to-morrow (Tuesday) morning, sugars, sardines, candied peel, currants, yeast powder, champagne, and whisky.

The price of wool in London, which has fallen so low at the present series of sales, is the subject of remark by the *British Australasian* as follows:—

The colonial wool sales which closed last Saturday showed a further serious fall in the great staple product of the Australasian colonies. Both in merinos and crossbreds the drop as compared with the closing rates of 1891 must be reckoned at nearly 1d per lb., and thus not only has the heavy drop recorded in the fourth series of sales last year not in any way been recovered, but prices have gone from bad to worse. It is customary to blame the M'Kinley tariff in America and the depression ruling upon the Continent and in South America for this exceptional fall—a fall which, at current prices, bids fair to make this year, 1892, the cheapest for merino wools of which there is any record. In the spring of 1886 there was a fall in wools to an exceptionally low point. But there was then a quick recovery, and the average price of the bale in 1891 (about £12 10s) was as low as it was in the year 1886, while in the interim in 1889 it had risen to £15 10s. Current quotations, however, have brought the average down to about £12 per bale, and if there were no recovery during the remainder of the year, the effect upon the cash value of the Australasian wool clip would evidently be serious. Reckoning the past year's wool shipments from Australasia at 1,400,000 bales sent to London for the periodical auctions, and at 350,000 forwarded direct to the Continent and America, it will be seen that each variation of £1 per bale is the equivalent of £1,750,000, and that the difference between the average of 1889 and the current level of quotations would mean a depreciation to be measured by upwards of £6,000,000 sterling. There are compensations tending materially to mitigate this loss. In the first place freights are cheaper, but still the burden of the depression falls mainly upon the pastoralist, who, if it were not for the increase in his flocks, would indeed be a sufferer.

But there can be little doubt that to the great increase in these flocks of late years, and the equally great increase in the wool clip, the present drop in values is to a considerable extent attributable. In 1880 there were 75,150,000 sheep in those colonies, and up to 1885 there was no increase in the flocks, drought having played sad havoc amongst them. But in 1888 their numbers rose to 97,300,000, in 1889 they first topped 100,000,000, and in 1890 they rose to 114,070,000, and at the end of last year the numbers must have exceeded 120,000,000. The enormous addition to the wool clip which these excessive increases mean, may be estimated roughly if we take the average product at 5½lb of wool per sheep, when it will be understood that in spite of the heavy fall in market value, the gross cash value of the wool clip has distinctly increased. Last year, according to the Home Board of Trade returns, the Australasian wool imports were valued at £19,880,000 as compared with £19,106,000 in 1890, with £18,880,000 in 1883, and with £18,432,000 in 1888, and that in spite of the larger direct shipments of wool to the continent. It is, therefore, evident that there is an increase in the value of the clip due to the great additions made to the number of the sheep, which more than compensates the fall in prices. If Australasia alone exhibited an increase in the flocks, probably the effect would have been less than it has been shown to be. But the River Plate is likewise a large competitor in Continental markets with the Australian staple. Since the break-up of the great financial boom in the River Plate Republics they have turned their attention much more exclusively to the production of marketable commodities, and last year it is stated that as many as 380,000 bales of River Plate wools were shipped to European and American ports, as against only 217,000 bales in the previous season. Now, a River Plate bale is very much more weighty than an Australian bale, and when allowance comes to be made for this fact, it will be gathered that this increase in supply, coupled with that received from Australasia, means a very great deal to the European manufacturer and consumer, and it cannot be wondered at that prices have fallen materially, so as to tempt consumption up to the required amount. Doubtless present low prices will in due time tend further to augment that consumption; but it seems improbable, in the face of such augmented supplies, that any marked recovery can be seen just yet. Indeed, we think it is better to face the probability that the average prices of these soft wools during the current year will be the lowest yet known. In this it must not be considered that the wool market is taking an exceptional course. With an increased production, cotton is also cheaper than it has ever been before.

The Customs revenue received to-day was collected upon the undermentioned goods:—

Samples, £2 10s 9d; spirits, £2664 0s 6d; wine, still, £107 17s 4d; wine, sparkling, £74 9s 9d; ale, porter, and beer, in bottles, £266 10s 3d; tobacco and snuff, £210 9s; tobacco, unmanufactured, £15; tobacco, for manufacturing purposes only, £158 4s; cigars, £317 13s 7d; coffee, raw, £1 15s 3d; sugar, unrefined, £1198 2s 10d; sugar, molasses, £76 12s; opium, £443 5s; rice, £3; dried fruits, £70 2s 10d; sarsaparilla, over 25 per cent., 5s 9d. Specific duty: Advertising matter, £3 13s 5d; almonds, £1 10s 1d; bacon and hams, &c., £19 13s 1d; barley, £9 9s 9d; beans, 1s 4d; bolts, spikes, nuts, &c., £14 1s 1d; bran, £68; candles, £19 10s 8d; cement, £85; cocoa and chocolate, £53 4s; colours, dry, £5 8s 8d; confectionery, £25 8s 8d; cordage, £24 5s 4d; cordials and wines, not containing spirit, £5 12s 6d; farinaceous foods, £2 10s; fish, dried, preserved, or salt, £2 6s; flour, £150; fruits, green, £86 9s; galvanised iron, £69 14s 8d; galvanised manufactures, £12 5s 4d; gelatine, £1 15s; glue and size, £2 10s; hay and chaff, £139 14s 5d; jams and jellies, £43; lead, sheet and roll, £65 16s; lead pipe, £1 4s 8d; maize, £25 12s 9d; milk, preserved, 14s; oats, £72 3s 4d; oil, kerosene, £204 4s; oils, in bottle, £18 15s; oils, other, £3 5s 6d; oilmen's stores, pickles and sauces, £11 1s; onions, £92 6s 8d; paints and colours in oil, £60 0s 5d; paper, brown, £12 14s 6d; paper bags, plain, £3 15s; peas, £8 1s 6d; potatoes, £180 4s; powder, sporting, £7 16s; putty, 17s 6d; shot, £86; soap, fancy, £4 2s 4d; starch, &c., £9 6s 8d; timber, dressed, £263 13s 4d; timber, undressed, £139 9s 10d; varnishes, containing spirit, £7 18s; varnishes, all other, £11 11s; vegetables, fresh, 16s 3d; vegetables, preserved, £40 10s 10d; vinegar, £16 5s; wax and stearine, 2s 11d; wheat, £11 3s; wire netting, not galvanised, £95 9s 10d; zinc, £1 18s 11d; rent on goods in Queen's warehouse, £43 15s; harbour and light rates, £83 13s 4d; pilotage—Sydney, £222 12s 4d; harbour dues, £27; excise on tobacco, £500; excise on cigars and cigarettes, £20; excise on beer, £1284 5s 5d; tobacco factory license fees, £102 10s; licenses for selling tobacco and cigars, £3 5s; ad valorem, at 10 per cent., £2058 12s 8d; at 15 per cent., £124 12s 9d. Total, £12,116 3s 4d.

COMMERCIAL TELEGRAMS.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENTS.)

MELBOURNE, MONDAY.

Wheat sold at 4s to 4s 0½d. Town roller flour sold at £9 15s; country roller, £9 10s; bran, 10d to 10½d. There is a good demand for Mauritius sugar; 250 tons sold, ex Congo, practically all for local consumption. Dark rations sold for export at £12, in bond. There is an active inter-colonial demand for tea.

A fair extent of business was done in bank shares and other investment stocks without any great alteration in values. Standard White Lead lower, business in them being less active than of late. The principal sales to-day were:—City of Melbourne Bank, 94s 6d, 95s; Commercial, £8 2s, £8 3s; National, £9 7s, £9 6s; Royal, 31s, 32s; Land Mortgage, 30s; Metropolitan Gas, £13 5s; Castlemaine Brewery, 51s 6d; Trustees, Executors, and Agency, £6; Melbourne Tramway and Omnibus, 26s 9d, 27s; Silverton Tramway, 95s, 95s 6d; Tarrawingee Flux, 56s; Mutual Store, 72s 6d; Standard White Lead, 7s 9d, 7s.

PRODUCE MARKET.—MONDAY.

This morning there was a tolerably large attendance of the trade at the Redfern auction sales. The consignments of forage amounted to 52 trucks. Buyers operated steadily. The sale of one or two choice lots was negotiated at slightly higher rates. Otherwise last Friday's prices may be repeated. At the wharfs the principal supplies consisted of Southern ports and intercolonial produce. The Northern Rivers' shipments were delayed by the stormy weather, consequently holders of stocks of maize were quoting advanced figures. Good well-saved Hunter River lucerne hay continues to command attention. The recent advanced rates for butter were well maintained. Rather small supplies of eggs were on hand. The particulars of the business transacted at the Redfern forage auction sales were as follows:—

Hay.—Twenty-two trucks were submitted. Steady competition prevailed. Superior oaten, in bundles, 4s 8d per cwt.; good, 4s to 4s 4d; medium to fair lots, 3s 2d to 3s 9d, bales 3s 11d to 4s 3d; lucerne, in truss, from Windsor, 2s 6d; brown, in bales, from George's Plains, 2s 10d; oaten and wheaten, in bundles, 3s 4d to 3s 9d.

Straw.—Nine trucks were received. Clean wheaten, in bundles, 2s 2d to 2s 3d per cwt. Fair qualities, 2s to 2s 1d; derrick-pressed bales, 2s 3d.

Chaff.—Twenty-one trucks were forward. Choice oaten and wheaten, mixed, in bags, sold at 4s 6d to 4s 7d; good, 4s to 4s 5d; other kinds, 2s 9d to 3s 5d; straw, in bags, 2s 6d; lucerne, in bags, 3s 3d.

At the wharfs the wholesale quotations were:—

Wheat.—The nominal rates were 4s 9d to 4s 10d per bushel.

Flour.—Prices of stone-made flour range from £11 to £11 5s per ton; roller makes, £11 12s 6d to £12.

Bran.—Values were again irregular. From 10½d to 11d per bushel.

Pollard.—Quoted to 9½d per bushel.

Maize.—The rising of the various Northern rivers has caused an unsettled tone in the market. Holders of new dry maize quoted 2s 6d per bushel; old, to 2s 8d.

Oats.—Since Saturday additional New Zealand shipments were forward. Prime heavy feed oats 2s 6d per bushel; other qualities, from 2s 2d; seed, 2s 8d.

Hay.—Best well-saved dry green Hunter River lucerne hay worth £2 10s to £2 15s per ton; grassy to brown sorts, 35s to £2 5s.

Onions.—Stocks replenished this morning. Ruling rates, £3 15s to £4 per ton.

Potatoes.—Fairly good supplies were on hand. Circular Head, £4 5s per ton; Warrnambool, £3 5s.

Chaff.—Further Victorian consignments arrived this morning. Good, well-cut intercolonial oaten chaff still saleable at £4 10s per ton; medium classes, £4.

Butter.—Illawarra dairy lots, 1s to 1s 1lb.; factory made, including Berrima district lines, 1s 3d.

Cheese.—2418 were received yesterday from the various Southern ports. Colonial loaf cheese, 5d per lb.; ordinary makes, 4d to 4½d.

Bacon.—Hand-cured Southern unchanged, 7d to 7½d per lb.; machine-cured, 5d to 6d; middles to 9d.

Lard.—Best in bladders, 4d to 4½d per lb.; bulk, 3d to 3½d.

Eggs.—Quotations range from 1s 1d to 1s 4d per dozen.

Poultry.—Suitable for table use meet with a moderate inquiry. Fowls, 2s 3d to 3s 6d per pair; ducks, 2s 3d to 3s 3d; geese, 4s to 5s; turkeys, 3s to 9s.

FAT STOCK SALES.

At the Homebush fat stock sales yesterday 1316 head of cattle were yarded. The market was weaker, especially for medium and inferior beasts. The best lot of bullocks sold at £6 2s 6d per head, others from £3 16s. Cows, £2 8s 11d to £4 11s. 15,800 sheep were penned. The demand was slack, and prices lower. Prime quality were again scarce. The best lot of merino wethers sold to 9s 3d per head, others from 3s 1d. There was a fair supply of lambs, sales of which were made from 2s 3d to 9s 8d. The following sales are reported:—By Messrs. Hill, Clark, and Co.—7 bullocks for A. D. Hammond averaging £4 14s; 185 for V. J. Dowling averaging £4 13s 10d; 187 for A. Ross averaging £4 13s; 60 for W. Perry averaging £4 8s 9d; 65 for John Cameron averaging £4 7s 7d; 1 cow for A. D. Hammond at £4 11s; 44 for V. J. Dowling averaging £3 18s; 6 for John Cameron averaging £3 16s; 11 for W. Perry averaging £3 7s; 1 stag for V. J. Dowling at £3 6s; 107 wethers (tops) for Martin Brothers at 9s 7d to 9s 3d; 40 lambs (tops) for executors late G. Campbell at 8s 3d, 10 lambs (seconds) at 7s 3d; 2004 ewes for Richmond and Scott at 6s 5d to 7s 3d; 60 wethers (seconds) for Martin Brothers at 6s 9d; 105 wethers for C. Boyd at 5s 9d; 997 ewes for executors G. Campbell at 5s 5d to 5s 9d; 385 ewes for Martin Bros. at 5s 4d to 5s 6d; 1436 ewes for Chambers and Co. at 4s 8d to 5s; 1045 wethers for executors late R. L. Jenkins at 4s to 5s, 708 ewes at 3s 9d; 610 wethers for J. Conlon at 5s 3d to 4s; 147 wethers for R. J. Kendall, 177 ewes. By Messrs. Joseph Leeds and Co.—25 bullocks (station breds) for W. A. Gardiner at £6 2s 6d, 10 at £5; 38 bullocks for H. Cox at £5 8s 4d, 39 cows at £4 4s 4d; 8 bullocks for Nanima station at £4 13s 3d, 10 steers at £3 18s; 14 bullocks and steers for T. and J. Connell at £3 11s 6d, 7 heifers at £3 2s 10d; 380 wethers for J. Litchfield at 7s 1d to 7s 4d; 202 wethers for E. H. Litchfield at 5s 2d to 6s. By Messrs. Griffith and Weaver.—1683 wethers for J. L. Brown at 7s 5d to 7s 8d, 156 at 6s 1d. By Mr. George Maiden, for Goldsbrough, Mort, and Co., Limited.—80 wethers for Thos. Hockey at 8s 6d, 95 (seconds) at 4s 3d; 52 hoggets for E. Golsby at 7s 4d, 36 ewes at 3s 7d. By Messrs. Brunker and Wolfe.—58 bullocks for J. Houlahan at £3 16s. By Mr. Warden Harry Graves.—2200 wethers for James Peacock to 7s 10d. By Messrs. J. C. Young and Co.—20 bullocks for J. A. Dines averaging £4 17s 7d; 16 bullocks for W. R. Smith averaging £4 11s 9d, 10 cows averaging £2 9s 11d, 6 stags averaging £3 8s; 380 wethers for H. and A. E. A. Morrice from 5s 10d to 6s, 46 wethers (same) at 5s. By Pitt, Son, and Badgery, Limited.—101 bullocks for Scottish-Australian Investment Company, Limited, averaging £5 8s 10d; 25 bullocks for R. M. Fitzgerald averaging £5 8s 3d, 134 bullocks averaging £5 6s 1d; 36 bullocks for A. A. Company averaging £4 13s 7d; 22 bullocks for H. Bailey averaging £4 4s; 26 calves for Northern Agents; 230 wethers for R. Adams at 5s 6d to 8s 3d, 418 wethers at 8s 1d to 8s 5d, 99 wethers at 9s 9d to 10s 3d; 248 wethers for Rose Valley Estate at 6s 5d to 6s 7d, 452 wethers at 8s 11d; 85 wethers for F. H. Throsby at 6s 7d, 403 wethers at 5s 7d, 12 wethers (cripples) at 3s 1d; 75 lambs for W. Webb at 6s 3d, 22 lambs at 7s 11d; 37 lambs for F. H. Throsby at 6s 4d, 61 lambs at 4s 1d; 40 lambs for W. Nicholl at 3s 9d, 60 lambs at 2s 3d to 2s 7d.

METEOROLOGICAL REPORTS.

SYDNEY OBSERVATORY.

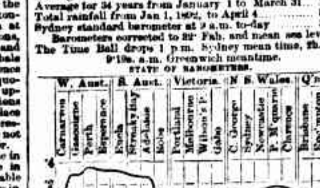
APRIL 4.

LATITUDE, 33°51' 41" S.; LONGITUDE, 10h. 4m. 50·81s. E.; MAGNETIC VARIATION, 9°35' 37" E.

Average annual rainfall for 33 years ... 50·885
Average for 34 years from January 1 to March 31 ... 14·518
Total rainfall from Jan 1, 1892, to April 4 ... 20·114
Sydney standard barometer at 9 a.m. to-day ... 30·131

Barometers corrected to 32° Fah. and mean sea level.
The Time Ball drops 1 p.m. Sydney mean time, 2h. 55m. 9·19s. a.m. Greenwich meantime.

STATE OF BAROMETERS.



WEATHER, TEMPERATURE, AND RAINFALL.

Stations.	W.	M.	M.	Rain	Stations.	W.	M.	M.	Rain
Albury	b	85	55	0	Lismore	-	—	—	-
Armidale	u	70	58	0·04	Maitland	b	76	56	0·82
Balranald	b	89	51	0	Manning H'ds	c	—	—	0·64
Bathurst	g	73	54	0·09	Marsdens	b	87	65	0
Bendemeer	g	—	—	0	Menindie	b	85	61	0
Bodalla	b	81	55	0	Molong	c	78	55	0
Bombala	c	80	50	0	Moranganell..	b	88	55	0
Bourke	b	96	64	0	Moree	b	90	60	0
Bowral	g	66	59	0·34	Moruya	b	72	60	0
Brewarrina	b	90	65	0	Moss Vale	g	64	59	0·08
Broken Hill	b	100	47	0	Mount Hope..	b	95	74	0
Bundarra	b	75	47	0	Mt. Victoria	g	61	48	0·42
Camden	p	—	—	0·76	Mudgee	b	72	61	0
Casmd'n Hav'n	p	78	68	0·60	Mungindi	c	97	70	0
Cape St. Geo.	c	76	66	0·53	Mur'mburrah	b	87	66	0
Carcoar	g	72	52	0	Murrurundi	f	69	60	0·02
Casino	b	72	65	5·44	Musw'llbrook	g	76	63	0·06
Cassilis	c	70	65	0·06	Narrabri	b	89	64	0·18
Clarence	-	—	—	-	Newcastle	b	76	67	0·02
Cobar	b	84	60	0	Orange	g	72	61	0·04
Condobolin	b	81	62	0	Picton	u	71	62	0·51
Cooma	g	78	49	0	Pt. Macquarie	c	78	59	1·41
Coonab'r'br'n	b	83	55	0	Port Stephens	b	73	68	0·39
Coonamble	b	91	61	0	Queanbeyan..	b	76	50	0
Cowra	c	88	59	0	Quirindi	b	78	63	0
Cudgellico	c	85	65	0	Scone	c	71	62	0·15
Deniliquin	b	82	68	0	Singleton	g	76	63	0·80
Dubbo	-	—	—	-	Sydney	c	78	69	0·27
Eden	b	74	62	0	Tabulam	g	78	59	0
Euston	b	99	56	0	Tamworth	b	79	59	0
Forbes	c	89	59	0	Taralga	-	—	—	-
Gabo Island	c	78	64	0	Taree	b	—	—	08
Glen Innes	b	75	54	1·57	Tenterfield	g	68	56	2·7
Goulburn	b	72	56	0	Wagga	c	91	50	08
Grafton	-	—	—	-	Walcha	g	61	54	0·43
Gulgong	b	74	61	0	Walgett	b	89	68	0·0
Gunnedah	b	86	57	0	Warialda	c	80	56	0
Hay	b	89	60	0	Wellington	c	87	70	0
Hillston	b	86	56	0	Wentworth	b	92	54	0
Inverell	b	77	58	0	Werris Creek	b	84	55	0
Jerry's Plains	g	87	60	0·20	Wilcannia	b	90	58	0·22
Katoomba	c	60	55	0·78	Wollongong..	c	73	63	0
Kiandra	g	64	35	0	Young	b	85	56	0

[Explanatory.—Weather: b, fine; c, cloudy; d, drizzling; f, fog; g, dull; h, hazy; m, misty; n, frosty; o, overcast; p, showery; q, squally; r, raining; s, snowing; t, thunder; u, threatening; v, stormy; w, hot wind; M. M., maximum and minimum readings of thermometers.]

SYNOPSIS.

New South Wales.—Cloudy on the coast; fine generally inland.

Victoria and Straits.—Generally fine and cool, but in parts overcast.

Queensland.—Unsettled to showery on E. and S. coast; fine in N. half and in interior.

South Australia.—Fine, but cloudy to gloomy generally.

Central and Northern Australia.—Fine and clear generally.

West Australia.—Generally fine, but in the S. unsettled to showery.

Tasmania.—Fine and clear to fine, but cloudy.

New Zealand.—Fine and clear throughout.

FORECASTS.

New South Wales: Light variable winds, tending to S. again; weather warmer, with some showers on coast and highlands, and scattered thunderstorms.—H. C. RUSSELL. Victoria: Fine and cool, near coast more or less cloudy; W. and S.W. winds chiefly.—R. L. J. ELLERY. South Australia: Fine and pleasant; partially cloudy in S.; winds light and variable; westerly to the S.E., and S. and S.E. inland.—C. TODD.

RAIN HAS FALLEN IN PREVIOUS 24 HOURS.

New South Wales: Light to moderate on coast and highlands; heavy in N.E. Victoria: Light in scattered places. Western Australia: Light on S. coast. South Australia: Light and partial near the coast. Queensland: Heavy on E. and S. coast.

3 P.M. OBSERVATIONS.

Bourke, S.E., fine, 83°; Wilcannia, S.E., fine, 80°; Dubbo, S.E., fine, 80°; Forbes, calm, fine, 75°; Wentworth, W., fine; Newcastle, N.E., fine, 80°; Eden, E., fine, 71°; Deniliquin, N.N.W., fine, 81°; Sydney, N.E., cloudy, 76°.

ASTRONOMICAL MEMORANDA FOR APRIL 5, 1892.

Sun rises at 6.16, sets at 5.49; Moon rises 9.29 p.m., sets at —; Mercury, 7.44 a.m., 6.23 p.m.; Venus, 9.54 a.m., 7.50 p.m.; Mars, 10.52 p.m., 1.10 p.m.; Jupiter, 5.21 a.m., 5.19 p.m.; Saturn, 4.56 p.m., 4.38 a.m.

Full moon, 12th; new moon, 27th.

High water at Fort Denison, 1.58 a.m., 2.06 p.m.

H. C. RUSSELL, Government Astronomer.

THE POPULATION OF ELECTORATES.

In the compilation of census returns, Mr. Coghlan, the Government Statistician, has reached the stage of allocating the number of population in the electorates of this colony. Taking the tables as they have been arranged they are as follow:—

Name of Electorate.	Total, Both Sexes.	Males. Total, Exclusive of Aborigines.	Males. Under 21.	Males. 21 and over.	Females. Total, Exclusive of Aborigines.
Albury	6,846	3,455	1,081	1,774	3,391
Argyle	10,087	5,382	2,839	2,543	4,705
Balmain	35,567	17,763	9,132	8,631	17,804
Balranald	11,514	7,187	2,529	4,658	4,327
Bathurst	9,162	4,591	2,278	2,313	4,571
Bogan, The	21,815	12,818	5,592	7,226	9,001
Boorowa	4,581	2,469	1,230	1,239	2,112
Bourke	13,719	9,362	2,718	6,644	4,357
Braidwood	6,277	3,344	1,693	1,651	2,933
Camden	22,708	12,127	5,876	6,251	10,581
Canterbury	68,786	33,075	17,218	15,857	35,711
Carcoar	13,873	7,574	3,970	3,604	6,299
Central Cumberland	35,141	19,041	8,733	10,308	16,100
Clarence, The	8,221	4,423	2,295	2,128	3,798
Durham	6,733	3,547	1,991	1,556	3,186
Eden	16,385	9,029	4,588	4,441	7,356
Forbes	13,131	7,985	3,069	4,916	5,146
Glebe, The	22,050	10,773	5,410	5,363	11,277
Glen Innes	8,986	5,220	2,300	2,920	3,766
Gloucester	6,366	3,508	1,878	1,630	2,858
Goulburn	10,916	5,412	2,817	2,595	5,504
Grafton	9,832	5,269	2,755	2,504	4,563
Grenfell	7,218	4,274	1,944	2,330	2,944
Gundagai	8,295	4,533	2,205	2,328	3,762
Gunnedah	7,059	4,075	1,857	2,218	2,984
Gwydir, The	8,284	4,964	2,110	2,854	3,320
Hartley	12,329	6,767	3,236	3,551	5,562
Hastings and Manning	13,428	7,239	3,871	3,368	6,189
Hawkesbury, The	10,339	5,411	2,926	2,485	4,928
Hume, The	10,872	6,429	2,690	3,739	4,443
Hunter, The	7,572	3,977	2,079	1,898	3,595
Hunter, The Upper	12,086	7,021	3,565	3,456	5,065
Illawarra	12,735	6,790	3,508	3,282	5,945
Inverell	8,647	4,932	2,408	2,524	3,715
Kiama	8,082	4,396	1,994	2,402	3,686
Macleay, The	11,330	6,339	3,292	3,047	5,191
Macquarie, East	9,186	5,102	2,445	2,657	4,084
Macquarie, West	4,804	2,563	1,309	1,254	2,241
Maitland, East	5,122	2,632	1,332	1,300	2,490
Maitland, West	7,295	3,605	1,751	1,854	3,690
Molong	7,915	4,312	2,258	2,054	3,603
Monaro	12,395	6,653	3,500	3,153	5,742
Morpeth	4,641	2,354	1,274	1,080	2,287
Mudgee	15,753	8,666	4,118	4,548	7,087
Murray, The	8,228	4,793	1,893	2,900	3,435
Murrumbidgee	25,022	14,750	6,029	8,721	10,272
Namoi, The	8,846	5,221	2,367	2,854	3,625
Nepean, The	10,093	5,359	2,748	2,611	4,738
Newcastle	29,612	15,704	7,740	7,964	13,908
New England	19,713	10,803	5,480	5,323	8,910
Newtown	33,268	16,435	8,445	7,990	16,833
Northumberland	27,000	14,603	7,705	6,898	12,397
Orange	11,892	6,353	3,270	3,083	5,539
Paddington	43,001	20,283	9,740	10,543	22,718
Parramatta	11,077	6,594	2,304	4,290	5,083
Patrick's Plains	8,234	4,153	2,292	1,861	4,081
Queanbeyan	6,505	3,451	1,180	1,571	3,054
Redfern	42,487	22,245	10,885	11,360	20,242
Richmond, The	22,321	13,050	5,857	7,193	9,271
Shoalhaven	10,502	5,702	3,002	2,700	4,800
St. Leonards	26,091	12,884	6,106	6,778	13,207
Sturt	26,383	16,658	5,860	10,798	9,725
Sydney, East	30,129	15,492	5,151	10,341	14,636
Sydney, South	42,074	22,146	8,888	13,258	19,928
Sydney, West	35,450	20,254	7,457	12,727	15,196
Tamworth	14,495	7,878	4,021	3,857	6,617
Tenterfield	6,978	3,852	1,857	1,995	3,126
Tumut	6,950	3,923	1,823	2,100	3,027
Wellington	6,139	3,391	1,673	1,718	2,748
Wentworth	3,410	2,175	770	1,405	1,235
Wilcannia	2,704	1,940	493	1,447	764
Wollombi	7,741	4,313	2,879	1,934	3,428
Yass Plains	8,986	4,737	2,492	2,245	4,249
Young	12,932	7,093	3,597	3,496	5,839
Total Electorates	1,118,250	602,664	282,408	320,256	515,586
Lord Howe Island	55	30	14	16	25
Shipping	5,649	5,309	630	4,679	340
Grand Total New South Wales	1,123,954	608,003	283,052	324,951	515,951

CHRISTIANS AND TRICKS OF TRADE.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—In Friday's issue you favoured your readers with an article from the *Methodist Times*, headed as above; no doubt read with interest, tending more strongly than ever to convince every thoughtful, seriously-minded individual, that tricks of trade, in the common acceptation of the term, and well understood by worldly-wise traders, are as directly opposed to practical Christianity as can possibly be conceived. The whole thing may be summed up in a very few words. In the absence of an equal advantage on the side of buyer and seller, pure Christianity is departed from. We are quite aware that such doctrine as this is utterly despised by the majority of men, and that a person holding such views is a fool, which I, for one, am content to be, because my estimation of what is just and right towards my fellow-man, is to me infinitely more valuable than money, or anything it can produce. The principles of Christianity have stood, and will stand, the test to the end of time, and all opposition thereto must fall as Dagon did before the Ark. Poverty, war, and every other trouble in the world, would disappear like snow in the meridian sunshine if Christianity had full possession of the human heart; but, alas, like its founder, "It is despised and rejected of men." I am, &c., HENRY HINE NEWMAN.

MINING INTELLIGENCE.

MONDAY EVENING.

In Broken Hill Silver Companies the morning sales showed an improvement, but at noon prices fell to the closing price of Saturday for Proprietary; Block 10, however, left off at an advance of 6s, and Centrals were 1s better. Central Blocks, Junction, Junction North and Souths sold at improved prices all through the day.

LATEST QUOTATIONS.

Sydney Stock Exchange.—The latest quotations were:—

	Buyer.	Seller.		Buyer.	Seller.
COPPER.			New Extended	4/9	5/9
Great Cobar	3/	—	Junction	—	—
Nymagee	2/	—	Junction N.	3/11	4/1
COAL.			South, New	29/	29/
Burwood	8/	10/	South	38/	38/6
Extended	—	—	Imperial	1/3	1/5
Hetton	—	65/	Central Block	1/9	1/10
Stockton	11/	11/9	Hero	—	2/1
Vale of Clwydd	—	3/6	Hero, con.	1/	1/6
Wallsend	34	36	Lubra	2d	3d
Waratah	—	5	GOLD.		
W. Wallsend	—	20/	Baker's Cr'k	27/6	—
W. and R. I.	—	17/	Crown of Peak Hill	—	2/6
Ditto, new is.	—	12/	Last Call	4d	6d
Ditto, prefer'd	—	31/	Mt. Gahan	—	12/6
SILVER.			Pambula	—	4/
Bonanza Consols	2d	—	Peak Hill	4/	—
British	14/9	17/	Ditto, con.	1/3	1/6
Proprietary	6 1/	6 2/	Sunlight	7/6	8/6
Block 14	63/	—	True Blue	3/9	4/1
Block 10	6 5/	6 5/4	Victory, C. T.	6/15/	7/2
Block Co.	9d	—	Zelma	—	6d
Central	39/9	40/			

The following sales were effected:—Silver: B. H. Proprietary, £6 7s, £6 6s, £6 5s, £6 4s 6d, £6 5s 6d, £6 6s, £6 2s, £6 1s; Block 10, £6, £6 6s, £6 7s, £6 8s, £6 6s, £6 5s, £6 4s, £6 6s, £6 5s 6d, £6 6s, £6 5s 9d, £6 5s; Central, 43s 6d, 44s, 42s, 42s 6d, 41s, 40s 9d, 40s 6d, 40s; Junction North, 4s 5d, 4s 7d, 4s 5d, 4s; South, 42s, 40s, 39s 6d; Central Block, 2s, 1s 11d, 1s 10d; Imperial, 1s 4d.

Stock Exchange of New South Wales.—Sales—Silver: B. H. Proprietary, £6 6s, £6 2s, £6 1s; Block 10, £6 6s, £6 5s; Central, 41s, 40s 6d, 40s; Junction North, 4s 6d, 4s 9d; Mount Stewart, 9s 10d.

The following are the closing quotations, except those corresponding with the figures of the Sydney Stock Exchange:—Silver: Junction, buyer 3s 9d, seller 4s 9d; New B. H. Extended, seller 5s; Bonanza Consols, buyer 1d; Mount Galena, seller 3s 2d; Mount Galena, contributing, seller 2s 3d; Mount Stewart, buyer 9s 6d, seller 10s. Gold: Butcher's Reef, seller 3d; Golden Gully, buyer 1s 7½d, seller 1s 10½d.

MEETINGS.

The second annual meeting of the Rivertree Proprietary Silver-mining Company was held in Brisbane on the 30th March. Mr. James Gulland, chairman of directors, presided. The report stated the progress made in the experimental leaching treatment suggested by Mr. Hall, and approved of by Mr. Koehler, of Broken Hill. Mr. Thomas Eyre was now engaged in building the new works, the plant for which had been obtained at a very low price. The balance-sheet showed the expenditure for the past year to have amounted to £4328, and the income to have been £751. Mr. Rodda, the mine manager, fully expected that the whole body of ore would go between 30 and 40 oz. of silver to the ton. The chairman recommended the perusal of the descriptive article published in the *Sydney Morning Herald*. The retiring directors were re-elected, Messrs. A. Mountford and J. L. Hollander were appointed auditors, and the usual votes of thanks terminated the meeting.

MINING NOTES.

Gold-mining in the provinces of Auckland, New Zealand, has returned during the last 20 years £7,000,000 in bullion, but the production last year was not deemed satisfactory. In the chairman's address given at the annual meeting of the Auckland Chamber of Commerce deep sinking was strongly urged, especially at the Thames where the shallow workings are now exhausted.

Gympie Items.—No. 3 North Phœnix in the south drive, at the 1042ft. level, has a better show of stone, and a satisfactory crushing may be expected when the reef is opened up. The new reef in the Wilmot Extended is 9in. wide, showing coarse gold. The Great New Zealand has 18in. of crushing stuff on the eastern reef at the 272ft. level. The No. 3 North Great New Zealand Company are baling out the existing shaft of 300ft. in depth. The previous owners confined their exploration work to some troubled country; but the new development will endeavour to reach the black slate from the 80ft. level and cut two veins known to exist beyond.

Exceptional facilities exist in California for generating electricity by water-power. The following testimony is from the manager of a gold mine. The machinery is entirely under control, and in all my experience I have never had to do with a motive power which would compare with it for economy, cleanliness, steadiness, and the ease with which it could be handled. Between the 1st August and the 31st December, it dealt with 19,000 tons of rock, the gold from which was extracted at the remarkably low average cost for mining and milling of 2s 1d per ton.

The slackness of the Lithgow coal trade is ascribed to the railways not taking so much, from having all the coal stages filled. For the future the collieries will have to depend upon pushing trade in the Western districts, although if freights to Sydney were reduced, then competition with the Southern collieries would be more equal, for as it now is South Clifton can supply coal in Sydney at 9s, whereas Lithgow coal costs over 12s per ton.

There are at Mount Morgan two reduction works. The upper or new plant is fitted with a revolving drying furnace, six sets of Krom's rolls and stone-breakers, 18 reverberatory furnaces for roasting ore, 21 chlorinating barrels each holding 22cwt. ore, 84 wooden lead-lined leaching vats, 64 charcoal filters, three furnaces to burn the gold-charged charcoal, two engines of 80 h.p. and 20 h.p., and five 30 h.p. boilers, and sulphuric acid works to produce 20 tons of acid weekly. The lower works are on a lesser scale, containing four pairs of rolls, 10 furnaces, 24 chlorination barrels, 26 vats, 28 filters, one 40 h.p. engine, two 30 h.p. boilers, saw-mills, machine shop, and electric light plant.

The open cut of the Proprietary mine continues to be a scene of unusual activity. On the eastern side of the ridge there now exists a fine level terrace hundreds of feet in length, and here will be the future storing-ground for the immense bodies of iron flux now being quarried. At present the company is cramped for storage room. Already 20,000 tons of iron flux have been gained, and large quantities are being sent to the four furnaces at Dry Creek.

Many of the men who went on strike at Sunny Corner have left the district. It is stated that the furnaces will be closed in a few days, so that many more men will be out of work.

The danger of leaving shafts unfenced is great, and the Mining Act should make protection compulsory. Recently, in cleaning out Wonnacott's Star of the West mine at Gulgong, human bones were found. It is surmised that the remains were those of Stephen Adams, an old digger, who disappeared some 10 years ago.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENTS.)

MELBOURNE, MONDAY.

Among gold companies South Star received good support at the late rise. Johnson's Reef and Princess Dagmar were in good request at further advanced prices. Long Tunnel was rather lower. The principal sales were as follows:—Band and Albion, 8s 3d, 8s 3d; Long Tunnel, £42; South Star, 10s 6d, 10s; Working Miners, 4s 3d; South Hopetoun, 2½d; Prince of Wales and Poverty, 2s 6d; South Russell's, No. 1 at 11s 6d; Confidence Extended, 17s 3d; Hustler's Reef, 15s; West Sunlight, 3s 6d; Johnson's, 52s; Londonderry, £5.

A very active but widely-fluctuating market prevailed for the leading Broken Hill Silver Companies, especially Block 10 and Proprietary. Block 10 was readily taken at rising prices till midday, when the shares were saleable at 9s 6d over Saturday's closing rates, but they went back rapidly during the afternoon, and were quitted to 11s 6d under the top price. Broken Hill Proprietary, after rising 3s 6d over, receded to 8s 6d under Saturday's prices, and recovered about 1s 6d at the close.

Tasmanian Silver companies had a very limited business, and changes in values were unimportant.

The following were the principal sales:—Block 10, £6 8s, £6 12s 6d, £6 1s; Broken Hill Proprietary, £6 6s, £6 7s 6d, £5 15s 6d, £5 17s; South, paid, 40s; Block 5, 1s 5d; Broken Hill Extended, 5s 3d, 5s 9d; Central, paid, 43s, 44s, 38s, 39s; Pinnacle Amalgamated, 1s, 1s 1d; Tasmanian: Austral, 1s 2d, 1s 3d; Mount Dundas Prospecting, 1s 3d; Maestries, paid, 18s, 17s 9d.

ADELAIDE, MONDAY.

Share report:—Sales: Rickey's Reef, contributing, £1; Block 10, £6, £6 6s 9d, £6 6s, £6 2s, £6 0s 6d; B. H. Proprietary, colonial register, £6 3s, £6, £6 5s, £5 18s 6d; Block 14, £3 14s; Central, paid, £2 5s; South, paid, £2 3s; Junction North, 24s; Old British, 15s 9d; Junction, 7s; Junction North, 4s; North, 2s 6d; Ediacra Consols, 2s; Imperial Pro., 1s 1d; North Central, 1s.

Numerous tenders have been received for work at the Wallaroo mines, under the free tendering system introduced by the directors, consequently it may be assumed that the dispute has been virtually settled.

BROKEN HILL, MONDAY.

At the Junction North the shaft is down 511ft., and is still going through a mixture of garnet sandstone, sulphides, cubical galena, and a little quartz material. Assays show very well for silver.

The company, so far, has been receiving a good revenue from its water. This is now, however, diminishing; but it is hoped that as soon as another flour of ore has been broken through the influx will be as great as ever.

At the South mine the winze below the 400ft. level is down 20ft., and is going through high-grade carbonate ore.

The statement by the Proprietary directors that they intend erecting six smelters at Port Pirie is causing a feeling here of great uneasiness among business people, especially in the face of Mr. Wilson's statement to Mr. Dibbs, when the mining directors waited upon him in January last, to the effect that it was cheaper to smelt at the mine. Everyone is asking whether the Premier will now carry out his threat to place an export duty on ore. Without something of this sort being done it would seem as though the seaboard will be selected for the bulk of the smelting, in which case South Australia will derive the greatest benefit from the Barrier mines, and the high revenue derivable from Broken Hill will be practically lost to New South Wales.

COOTAMUNDRA, MONDAY.

The warden, Mr. Baker, visited Bragg's and Boxsell's paddock to-day for the purpose of investigating their claim for the discovery of a new goldfield. The prospector has 180 tons of quartz grassed, and great confidence is placed in the permanency of the field.

INVERELL, MONDAY.

Work has been resumed at the Bora Creek Mine with three men, who are raising and bagging splendid, looking ore derived from the drive into the face of the mountain, which is extended from the 18ft. level in the shaft, the output being at the rate of half a ton per day. They are also stacking a two-ton lot of seconds per day. The first grade ore is similar in appearance to the parcel of six tons sent to Sydney a few weeks ago, which went 119oz. of silver and 48 per cent. lead to the ton. The seconds are expected to go 40oz. to 50oz. of silver to the ton. The vein in the drive is widening out, and there is now nearly 4ft. of pure galena in the face.

Tin-mining appears to be gradually dying out, for there is now only one buyer at Tingha, and probably there are not half a dozen claims with wages men employed. This fact is greatly to be deplored, as Tingha has always been the cash market for the Inverell farmers. Occasionally rich patches of ore are struck, but they are only of limited extent. Messrs. Cooper Brothers have just cut out one of these, from which they expect to wash from 12 to 13 tons of tin as the result of about four months' work for two men. On their block of 40 acres they have sunk some 300 shafts, ranging from 5ft. to 65ft. in depth, and have extracted about 30 tons of tin in three years.

LAUNCESTON, MONDAY.

The Pinafore Company crushed 900 tons of quartz, averaging 13½dwt. to the ton.

MUDGEE, MONDAY.

The first ingot of bullion produced by the new smelter of the Mount Stewart mine arrived to-day, and is now on view.

SILVERTON, MONDAY.

Two teams have brought in a parcel of ore from the Nuntherungie Central Silver Mine, in spite of the drought, which has well-nigh stopped all traffic between Nuntherungie and Broken Hill. The weight of ore was 5 tons 15cwt., and has been purchased by the Central mine, of Broken Hill, at the rate per ton of a few pence less than £20, giving the Nuntherungie Central Company, after deducting smelting charges, a net return of over £100. The whole parcel was obtained from the lower levels; it assayed 120oz. silver and 46 per cent. of lead, and gives the highest bulk return yet received. Several consignments have, previous to this, been sold to the smelting works at Dry Creek, all of which gave good returns, averaging 78oz. of silver and 46 to 50 per cent. of lead. One noteworthy fact in connection with this mine is that with greater depth the lode is improving, and the ore increasing very considerably in its silver and lead contents.

The Silverton Broken Hill Mining Company have started to drive south on the course of the lode from No. 3 shaft, and are now in 6ft. Just after starting a vein of high-grade grey ore 1in. wide was met. The drive has moreover now widened out to nearly 15in. of solid ore, which forms an important discovery, as it proves the continuance of the rich vein for a considerable distance from the north boundary. A parcel of high-grade ore is being got ready for shipment for smelting, and about 1½ ton is at grass ready for bagging.

MANAGERS' REPORTS.

B. H. Block 14, March 30.—Main 200ft. level: Long crosscut stopes yielding as usual. Northern stopes unchanged. Southern stopes showing fair grade carbonate ore. North shaft: The intermediate stopes from which ore is being broken for Port Pirie smelters, are looking very well. The 100ft. level main drive north is being extended over and carried north as stopes advance. South shaft: Contract has been let for crosscutting for the lode from the 342ft. level. Water: Have ample water for all requirements. General: 770 tons of lead ore have been sent to Port Pirie during the week, making a total for half-year of 15,642 tons.

Round Hill, March 28.—During the past week Clough's shaft sunk 4ft. in hard country, and the north end is through the hard bar. From the appearance of the ground sinking should be much more favourable. Total depth 706ft. Country passed through composed of quartzite and close-grain garnet sandstone. Machinery is working well, and plenty of water. The dam at the 350ft. level is full.

Excelsior Gold, Tuena, April 2.—Tunnel driven a further distance of 10ft. for week. Total, 189ft. Country clean blue slate, as last reported. Water still coming from heads and backs. Have procured Ratchet borer, which will drive nearly 5ft. per week extra.

Great Mercury Gold.—Mr. John Fraser is excavating a spot to erect one of his pans to act as an amalgamator, as well as making a number of settling-pits to enable the same water to be used over and over again for the purpose of preventing loss of fine gold. The tailings will be ground in charges. Crosscutting west is being carried on for purpose of cutting the lode in about 20ft., at present worked by the Red Mercury Company to such advantage. No. 2 level winze ought to break into intermediate drive within another fortnight; reef in this winze is a fine compact body, prospecting well. South face: The low level lode is from 2ft. to 3ft. in width, prospecting fairly with fine gold.

Imperial Broken Hill, March 26.—West crosscut, 800ft. level, extended 6ft. for week, total 512ft. from shaft; no change. New shaft: West crosscut extended 7ft., total 61ft. East crosscut progressed 7ft., total 52ft. Ground same as last week.

Junction North, Broken Hill, fortnight to March 29.—Main shaft sunk a further depth of 6ft., total from plat 8ft., and from surface 508ft. A strong body of water was again cut necessitating stoppage of work for a day or two; but it has now drained off, and sinking has been resumed.

New Broken Hill Extended, April 2.—Shaft sunk 7ft. for week, total depth 920ft. The increased size of shaft for plunger chamber, and cutting out of ground for this chamber set at 920ft., have retarded progress. Formation still garnet sandstone.

Pinnacles Amalgamated, March 29.—Stopes in north end 164ft.; level still improving and widening, and the "pocket" is giving ore of a value of 37 per cent. lead and 64oz silver. It is not of great extent. There is now water in the dam to last, if weather keeps cool, about three months. Bagged for past week, 63½ tons.

Rising Sun, Broken Hill, March 30.—Contractor sunk 3ft. 6in., total 553ft.; ground is hard as yet, but there are indications of better country at south end of shaft, where changes in the past have always been met with; the bottom is very much mixed with telspar.

Round Hill Silver (wire), April 2.—Clough's shaft: Sunk for week 6ft., total depth 714ft.; better ground.

Walla Walla Silver, week to April 2.—Drive south of shaft extended 8ft., total 178ft.; it has now greatly improved, and is showing a large body of carbonate of fair percentage. The air shaft sunk 5ft., total from brace 87ft.; is in the same formation as appears in the drive, and is showing carbonate of lead well diffused through the body, and carries two good walls.

Star of the East Gold.—No. 1 shaft sunk 9ft., total 1795ft. 1020ft. level: North drive on star lode has advanced 10ft., now in 49ft.; stone in face 2ft., showing a little gold. South drive same level extended 11ft., full length 415ft.; 2ft. of stone in face, carrying gold. Stopes over back wearing their usual appearance. No 2 shaft: 1200ft. level: Commenced driving north; stone increasing in dimensions as the drive advances. 1100ft. level: North drive on course of Guiding Star lode driven 11ft., now in from crosscut 62ft.; face continues to carry a large amount of gold-bearing stone. No. 7 rise up from back of level 18ft. in good stone; stopes throughout wearing a favourable appearance. 1000ft. level: North drive extended 14ft., full length 76ft.; no material change. 900ft. level: South drive advanced 11ft., total from starting point 490ft.; wearing the same appearance as previously reported. No. 4 shaft—Works throughout continue to present a satisfactory appearance.

Silver Hill Mining, Sunny Corner, March 30.—North tunnel extended 4ft. 6in. for week, total 567ft. There is no change in the character of the rock, still in black schist.

Band of Hope Gold, March 24.—All the stopes mentioned in last report have been at work during the month, and turning out a fair quantity of stone. The different faces are well except in the footwall stopes south of the shaft, where the reef is bunchy, but of good quality. One hundred and fifty tons of stone have been raised for the month, making 510 tons carted to the mill.

Sunlight Gold, West Hillgrove, March 28.—No. 4 level: Main drive west advanced 43ft.; no change, country tighter. Main drive east extended 13ft.; at this point met with crosscourse, which is believed to be the same that has cut lode in No. 3 level above; have stopped this drive for present, as lode is cut clean off, and will try to pick it up later on. Stopes in this level show improvement in size of reef west of winze, also in quality, showing gold in all faces. Stopes east of winze also carrying fair average stone. No. 3 level: West main drive advanced 3ft.; crushing full width of lode, which is at present about 4ft. in thickness in face and showing gold. Stopes east and west of winze showing improved appearance both in size and quality of lode. No. 2 level: Stoping east of winze in fair-sized stone of good average quality. All parts of mine wearing better appearance.

Victory Gold, Charters Towers, March 26.—No. 7 north level: Footwall reef 4in. to 14in. of medium quality. Winze No. 8 north level holed through to stopes at back of No. 9 level; reef averages 5in. of good quality. No. 9 north level: Stopes carry 12in. fair stone. No. 10 level: Stopes with 12in. to 15in. of fair quality; south, 15in. medium. Raised 100 tons; total, 180 tons. No. 2 shaft: Sunk 17ft.; total, 500ft.; reef quite 7ft. of solid quartz, and think quality better than that hauled during past few days; it is heavier mundic stone. At beginning of week had 12ft. of reef, but top part broke into leaders, followed top one, which is 16in. wide, until shaft 15ft. high, then considered it advisable to leave it, as otherwise would have to close timber shaft, which would delay sinking; any veins left can be worked when stoping up. Western drive on lower formation is in 154ft., little stone in face. Raised 180 tons; total, 240 tons.

Tumbarumba Flat Sluicing Company, April 4.—The manager reports having purchased upon very advantageous terms 234ft. of 22in. piping, 308ft. of 15in., and 1178ft. of 13in., together with bends, nozzles, valves, &c., all of which are now being carted to the mine and will be delivered in the course of a few days. A 5ft. Pelton wheel has been ordered from the Pelton Wheel Company of San Francisco and will arrive in Sydney about the 1st proximo.

Occidental Gold, Cobar, fortnight to March 30.—From 300 tons of stone 80oz. smelted gold were obtained. It was the poorest as yet, and was taken from various parts of surface-heaps to admit of erection of machinery. The 15-head battery was restarted last Monday, and all machinery is working well. Have been shorthanded, so could not further test the eastern show. There is about 15 days' water in tank.

Crown of Peak Hill Gold, April 2.—100ft. level north extended 9½ft., total 154ft. from the chamber. It appears that we have the north end of this shoot of stone, and the reef is closing in to a few inches wide. There is not room enough to break ore and raise mullock from the shaft at the same time, but to obviate this shall continue the drive a few feet, and then resume sinking. Stopes in back of 105ft. level still turning out payable ore. Lode is from 3ft. to 4ft. wide showing fair gold. Ore raised for week, about 40 tons; crushed 114 tons of mixed stone from the 100ft. and 105ft. levels, yielding 78oz. 13dwt. smelted gold. About 200 tons are now being crushed for the Proprietary Company.

ANTHRAX AT WENTWORTHVILLE.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—Your correspondent is hardly correct in his wording of the above heading to his article on that subject. We have had no anthrax nor signs even of it even on the Wentworthville Estate, nor have I lost any cows, horses, or pigs through that disease; nor have any of my neighbours. The farm alluded to is situated about a quarter of a mile from Wentworthville. You will oblige by the insertion of these few lines, as the report is calculated to injure the property-holders at Wentworthville. I am, &c.,

W. H. HICKS.

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MUNICIPAL COUNCILS.

BURWOOD.

The council met recently, when there were present—Aldermen Hennessy (Mayor), Archer, Cowdery, T. H. Jones, Paisley, Redman, Simpson, and Scholes. A letter was received from the railway engineer stating that tenders had been called for the bridges over Condor and Gordon streets. The following motions were carried:—"That the finance committee be asked to report on the financial position of the borough, and also as to the present method of keeping the accounts." On the motion of Alderman Archer,—"That the works committee and the clerk inspect the several outlets for draining purposes from the railway line, with a view to the holding of an interview with the Commissioners to decide as to the best method of constructing the same."

PROSPECT AND SHERWOOD.

A meeting of the above council was held on Thursday evening. Present—The Mayor (Alderman George M'Credie) in the chair, Aldermen Miller, T. Mustin, Jones, Noller, Booth, G. Muston, and Hollis. Finance committee's report, recommending payment of accounts and salaries, amounting in all to £68 15s 5d, was received. The treasurer reported that the general account showed a debit balance of £164, and that there was £31 to the credit of the lighting account. He congratulated the council on being in such a good financial position, considering the many heavy expenses they had been put to through the recent heavy rains. A letter was received from the Water and Sewerage Board stating that their officers had inspected Black-lane, and they considered that they had done nothing whatever to damage it. The letter was received. The council went into committee of the whole to consider letters from the Granville Council and the Water and Sewerage Board—the latter referring to Black-lane. The Mayor reported reference to Black-lane, which, it was alleged, the Water and Sewerage Board had flooded by diverting water thereon. It was agreed that legal proceedings be taken by the council, provided the council's solicitor is favourable to same. The Mayor was empowered to take immediate action in the matter. In regard to the letter from the Granville Council re overflow of water at Dawes Railway-crescent, it was decided, on the motion of Aldermen Miller and Muston, that the Mayor be empowered to take legal proceedings against the Granville Council. The report was adopted. Alderman Jones moved that tenders be called for printing, advertising, &c. The voting on the motion was equal, and the Mayor gave his casting vote against the motion, as he was not in favour of tying the council's hands for 12 months.

RYDALMERE.

A meeting of the above council was held on Friday evening. Present—The Mayor (Alderman T. M. Williamson) in the chair, Aldermen Kirby, Jenkins, Spurway, and Moloney. The council discussed a letter from the Works Department, which offered them £400 on condition of their taking over Victoria-road. It was thought, as the road was a first-class road, that the sum was not sufficient. It was therefore decided that a deputation wait on the Minister and place the matter fully before him. It was also decided that the council invite a conference with the Dundas Council on the matter of erecting a tollgate at the Dundas quarry. The people using this quarry were not ratepayers, and held that by their agreement with the Government they were not compelled to contribute towards the maintenance of the roads, which suffered greatly from the traffic of the stone carts. Tenders were accepted for carting and rolling and ploughing streets. The monthly accounts were passed for payment.

WATERLOO.

A meeting of this council was held on Thursday last, when the Mayor and Aldermen Kellett, Navin, Collier, Williams, Smith, Greenwood, Anderson, and Walsh were in attendance. A letter was received from the Under-Secretary for Public Works stating, in reply to the council's inquiry of the 25th January last as to the terms upon which the sum of £100 had been granted for the main Botany-road within the limits of the Waterloo municipality, that, on the urgent representations of the members for the district, the Secretary for Public Works approved of the amount in question being given as a matter of grace, and without prejudice to the opposite views taken by the councils interested, and those held by the department, as to whether the Government or the municipalities should exercise control over the road. The letter was received, and it was resolved that the money should be expended in the necessary repairs of the road. The secretary of the Board of Health wrote forwarding a copy of the Diseased Animals and Meat Act, 1892, and requested to be furnished with the names, positions, and qualifications of any officer or officers of the Waterloo Council whom it was desired should be authorised by the board, in accordance with the 5th section, to act as local inspectors under the provisions of the Act. The letter pointed out also that under the 12th section of the Act provision was made for any penalties recovered on the complaint of an officer of a municipality being paid over to, and to form part of, the general municipal fund of such municipality. Considerable discussion followed the reading of this letter, the prevailing feeling being that the officers of the council had sufficient work to keep them fully employed, and it was thought that the Act could be worked better by the appointment of an independent officer by the board itself. It was, therefore, resolved to apprise the board accordingly of the council's view of the matter in that light.

N. A. V. RIFLE CLUB.

The N. A. V. Rifle Club held their second competition for the fourth quarter at the Alexandria Rifle Range on Saturday last with the following result. Handicap limit, 60 points:—

A.B. Lester, 500 yards 27, 600 yards 30, handicap 3, total 60; A.B. M'Fadyen, 30, 16, 15—60; P.O. J. Warren, 27, 28, 2—57; A.B. Clampett, 26, 16, 14—56; A.B. R. Watson, 26, 15, 15—56; Lieutenant Keating, 27, 27—54; A.B. Stanhope, 27, 26—53; L.S. Evans, 26, 13, 14—52; A.B. Taylor, 17, 13, 22—52; P.O. Stephens, 27, 23—50; L.S. Cane, 20, 27, 3—50; Sub-lieutenant Falk, 29, 20—49; L. S. Greenland, 22, 21, 5—48; A.B. E. Watson, 13, 11, 22—46; P.O. W. Warren, 13, 30—43; A.B. Richardson, 17, 23—40.

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THE FRIENDS of Mr. JAMES BENNETT are invited to attend the Funeral of his late beloved WIFE; to move from his residence, Belmore-road, Ryde, THIS DAY, Tuesday, at 11 o'clock, for Rookwood. JAMES GORDON, Undertaker.

THE FRIENDS of Mr. H. ABRAHAMS are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of his late beloved WIFE, Jane Ann; to move from his residence, 104 Oxford-street, city, THIS (Tuesday) AFTERNOON, at half-past 1 o'clock, to Necropolis. CHARLES KINSELA, 116 Oxford-street, near Crown-street; and 765 George-street.

THE FRIENDS of Mr. ALFRED ABRAHAMS are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of his late beloved MOTHER; to move from her late residence, 104 Oxford-street, city, THIS (Tuesday) AFTERNOON, at half-past 1 o'clock, to Necropolis. CHARLES KINSELA, 765 George-st., opp. Christ Church; and 116 Oxford-st.

THE FRIENDS of ALBERT T. COLEMAN, ANDREW WYATT, JAMES M'GINLEY, and LEONARD GEORGE are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late beloved MOTHER-IN-LAW, Mrs. Abrahams; to move from her late residence, 104 Oxford-street, city, THIS (Tuesday) AFTERNOON, at half-past 1 o'clock, to Necropolis. CHARLES KINSELA, 116 Oxford-st., near Crown-st.; and 765 George-st., opp. Christ Church.

ADVANCE Australia Division, Sons of Temperance, No. 56.—The Officers and Members of the above are invited to attend the Funeral of Bro. H. Abrahams' WIFE; to move from his residence, Oxford-street, near Crown-street, at 1.30 p.m., for Rookwood. By order of W.P. H. COOPER, F.S.

THE FRIENDS of Mr. THOMAS MOORE are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of his late beloved WIFE, Frances; to move from her late residence, 56 Grose-st., Camperdown, THIS (Tuesday) AFTERNOON, at 1.30 o'clock, to Newtown station, thence to Necropolis. CHAS. KINSELA, Under., 765 George-st.

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THE FRIENDS of the late Mr. CHARLES M. JACOBSON are kindly invited to attend his Funeral, THIS Tuesday AFTERNOON; to move from his late residence, No. 11 Samuel-street, Surry Hills, at half-past 1 o'clock, to the C. of E., Necropolis. T. DIXON, Undertaker, 23 Oxford-street.

THE FRIENDS of Mr. and Mrs. HENRY TEEGE are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of their late beloved SON; to move from their residence, South-street, Marrickville, THIS AFTERNOON, at 1.45, for Church of England Cemetery, Rookwood. ANDREWS and CO., Undertakers, 172 King-street, Newtown.

THE FRIENDS of THOMAS and JANE M'NEILL are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late beloved SON, John Thomas; to move from No. 32 Myrtle-street, Sydney, THIS DAY, Tuesday, at 2.15 o'clock, for Waverley Presbyterian Cemetery. WOOD and COMPANY, Undertakers, 799 George-street, Sydney.

THE FRIENDS of Messrs. FRANCIS, JAMES, DAVID, ABRAHAM, and JOSEPH M'NEILL are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late beloved BROTHER, John Thomas; to move from 32 Myrtle-street, Sydney, THIS DAY, Tuesday, at 2.15 o'clock, for Waverley Presbyterian Cemetery. WOOD and CO., Undertakers.

THE FRIENDS of WILLIAM M'COY are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of his late BROTHER-IN-LAW, John Thomas M'Neill; to move from his late residence, 32 Myrtle-street, city, for Waverley Cemetery, at 2.15 p.m., THIS (Tuesday) AFTERNOON.

THE FRIENDS of Alderman JOHN QUIGG, of Canterbury, are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of his late NEPHEW, John Thomas M'Neill; to move from his residence, 32 Myrtle-street, city, for Waverley Cemetery, at 2.15 p.m., THIS (Tuesday) AFTERNOON.

THE FRIENDS of DAVID and WILLIAM SWANSTON are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of their late NEPHEW, John Thomas M'Neill; to move from his residence, 32 Myrtle-street, city, at 2.15 p.m., for Waverley Cemetery, THIS (Tuesday) AFTERNOON.

THE FRIENDS of JOHN THOMAS, and WILLIAM M'NEILL are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late beloved COUSIN, John Thomas; to move from 32 Myrtle-street, Sydney, THIS DAY, Tuesday, at 2.15 o'clock, for Waverley Presbyterian Cemetery. WOOD and CO., Undertakers, 799 George-street, Sydney.

BOYNE LODGE, No. 8, P.A.F. Society of Australasia.—Members of the above and other Lodges of the Order are respectfully requested to attend the Funeral of our late Bro. JOHN T. M'NEILL; to move from his late residence, 32 Myrtle-street, South Sydney, 2.15 p.m., THIS DAY, Tuesday, for Waverley Cemetery. GEORGE H. WILLIAMS, Secretary.

THE FRIENDS of Mrs. THOMAS NAPIER, of Oaklands, North Ryde, are respectfully invited to attend her Funeral; to move from her late residence THIS DAY, Tuesday, at half-past 2, for the Field of Mars Cemetery.

THE FRIENDS of B. F., THOMAS and JOSEPH PURCELL are respectfully requested to attend the Funeral of their beloved MOTHER, Mary; to move from St. Francis Church, Haymarket, THIS (Tuesday) AFTERNOON, at 2.30, to Cemetery, Waverley. W. J. DIXON, Undertaker, 120 Oxford-street.

A. H. C. GUILD.—The Members of the A. H. C. Guild are requested to attend the Funeral of the MOTHER of Councillor B. PURCELL; to leave St. Francis's Church, Haymarket, THIS DAY, at half-past 2 o'clock, for the Waverley Cemetery. By order of the Warden. J. P. WALSH, Secretary.

THE FUNERAL of the late Captain WM. ROBERTSON will move from his late residence, Rockville, Pitt-street, Milson's Point, THIS (Tuesday) AFTERNOON, at 2.30 p.m., for the Gore Hill Cemetery. Mrs. P. KIRBY, 88 Hunter-street, Sydney.

THE FRIENDS of Mr. HENRY ROBERT RHODES, of Victoria-street, Kogarah, are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of his late dearly beloved WIFE, Annie Cecilia; to leave the Mortuary, Redfern, at 2.30 p.m., for Rookwood Roman Catholic Cemetery. WOOD and CO., Undertakers, 799 George-street, Sydney.

THE FRIENDS of the late Captain GAVIN H. WEIR are kindly invited to attend his Funeral; to move from his late residence, 487 Dowling-street, Moore Park, THIS (Tuesday) AFTERNOON, at quarter to 3 o'clock, to Waverley Cemetery. CHARLES KINSELA, 116 Oxford-street, near Crown-street, and 765 George-st.

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THE FRIENDS of Mr. JOHN GORMAN are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of his dearly beloved DAUGHTER, Ada Mary Agnes; to move from his residence, 172 Dowling-street, Woolloomooloo, THIS (Tuesday) AFTERNOON, at a quarter before 3 o'clock, for Waverley Cemetery. Mrs. P. KIRBY, Undertaker.

THE FRIENDS of the late Mrs. JEMIMA WICKHAM are respectfully invited to attend her Funeral; to move from her late residence, George-street, Parramatta, THIS (Tuesday) AFTERNOON, at 3 o'clock, for the Necropolis. WM. METCALF, Undertaker, Parramatta.

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Servants Wanted.

A CHIEF COOK wanted, restaurant, £2; also Kitchenman. Miss Hall, Registry, 200 Castlereagh-st.

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AT Miss Butler's, 112 Market-street.—Wanted, M. C., wife h. m. and L, man cook and baker, £85.

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A USEFUL GIRL, about 14, to assist in the kitchen. Bayswater Hotel, Rushcutter Bay.

A WORKING HOUSEKEEPER for bachelor's quarters, Manly, refs. Housekeeper, Herald Office.

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BARMAID, must have Sydney experience. Apply 9 and 10, Creswick Club Hotel, Bent and Bligh sts.

BOY wanted, generally useful in warehouse, 5s week to commence, know town. F., Box 1171, G.P.O.

COOK and LAUNDRESS required, private fam.; references. Apply after 9 at 166 William-st.

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MAN COOK and general work. Apply 9 and 10, Creswick Club Hotel, Bent and Bligh sts.

MAN to drive tipcart. Apply J. P. Carter, 118 Walker-st., Redfern.

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SERVANTS wanting good Situations, kindly apply to William Hunter, 15 Enmore-rd.

THOROUGH Gen. Servant, for country, good home, lib. wages; open to 20th April. 32 Wynyard-sq.

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WANTED, WAITRESS. Apply 16 Strand, after 2 p.m.

WANTED, a PLOUGHMAN for country. Apply Mr. J. Young, 256 Pitt-st., Sydney.

WANTED, a RUNNER. Bellevue Hall, 472 Kent-st.

WANTED, smart General SERVANT for shop work. Mrs. Miller, 273 Elizabeth-st., Hyde P., 10 a.m.

WANTED, a useful little GIRL. Apply Mrs. Hughes, Ashton, Edwin-st., Croydon.

WANTED, a MAN to look after stable and generally useful. J. M'Hugh, Bridge-st.

WANTED, a respectable Woman as General SERVANT. Apply 628 Harris-st., Ultimo.

WANTED, good young General SERVANT. Mrs. Steel, Beaufort, Nelson-st., Woollahra.

WANTED, exp. WAITER, must understand his business. A. J. C. Hotel, Randwick, op. racecourse.

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WANTED, a young GENERAL, 3 in family, no washing. Finsbury, Chandos-st., Ashfield.

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WANTED, strong LAD, 10s week, board and lodging. Apply No. 12 Brisbane-st., off Oxford-st.

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WANTED, a General SERVANT, one to sleep at home preferred. Apply 312 Crown-st., Surry Hills.

WANTED, strong GIRL, 14 or 15, for general work. Apply early, 121 Oxford-st.

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WANTED, a good HOUSEMAID, and assist in bar, good wages. City Hotel, King and Kent sts.

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WANTED, a good General SERVANT, 3 in family. Apply 21 Gordon-st., Paddington.

WANTED, a PANTRYMAN. 84 Erskine-st.

WANTED, an elderly MAN, as a Kitchenman. 491 Elizabeth-st.

WANTED, steady, sober MAN, to drive horse and van. Apply 68 Upper Fort-st., Mrs. Dwyer.

WANTED, a CABMAN. Apply 106 Brougham-st., Woolloomooloo.

WANTED, a NURSEMAID. Apply Mrs. A. H. Simpson, St. Ives, Hunter's Hill.

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WANTED, a strong, tidy Girl, as General SERVANT. 27 Trafalgar-terrace, Oatley-rd., Pad'ton.

WANTED, young Gen. Servant or H. Maid, for mountain bo'g-house; refs. 11 Underwood-st., Pad.

WANTED, a young Girl, as General SERVANT. 22 Underwood-st., Paddington.

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WANTED, good PANTRYMAN. Apply Café Français, 233 George-st.

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WANTED, exp. BOTTLER, for cork and patent. Early, W. Wilce, Septimus-st., Macdonaldtown.

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WANTED, good shirt IRONERS. Wilson's Steam Laundry, Collins-st., off Crown-st., S. Hills.

WANTED, a young Woman, as Cook and Laundress, must be good laundress, refs. 77 Bayswater-rd.

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